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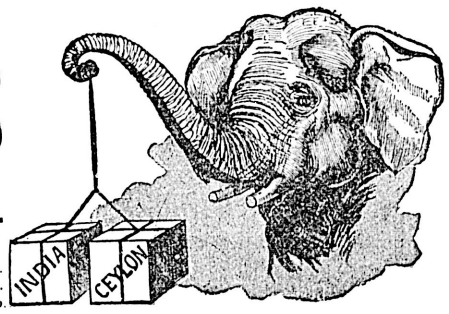

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PROF. G. COZENS, Graduate Phrenologist, of New York, who is just finishing a three-weeks course of lectures in Vancouver to crowded houses, where he also formed a phrenological society, will give a course of lectures in the Institute Hall, this city, commencing Monday, 22nd inst. Both sexes invited. ja21-1t

LOST—Jubilee sovereign, with gold charm attached. Will finder please return to Mrs. Brownlee, 41 Fort street. ja21-1t

FOUND—Small boat. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. H. J. Bland, Bay street, Victoria West. ja19-3t

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WRECKED SAILORS RESCUED.

For Eighty Days Without Fire and Clothing—Living on Sea Birds and Eggs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Advices received by the Monowai report the arrival at Dunedin, on December 4, of the survivors of the bark Spirit of Dawn, which left Rangoon on June 13 last, with a cargo of rice for Taleahuano, and was wrecked off the New Zealand coast on the morning of September 4. The vessel went ashore in a dense fog, but settled so quickly that the crew, with the exception of the first and second mates, took to the rigging. The latter got into a boat as she lay on the skids on the main deck, and when the vessel sank the boat floated with them. Most of the crew then jumped from the rigging into the water and were pulled into the boat by the two mates. The captain, carpenter and two seamen, however, went down with the vessel. The fog was very dense, but eventually it grew lighter and after being about eleven hours in the boat, the survivors landed on Antipodes Island. When rescued they had been on the island 80 days with no means of lighting a fire, and little clothing, and had lived solely on penguins and sea birds' flesh and eggs for that time.

BLAKE'S BEGGING.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" Suggests That He Be Asked How Long This is to Continue.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Hon. Edward Blake's letter in the Globe of Jan. 8, regarding funds of the Irish party, is quoted in full in the Chronicle to-day. The Pall Mall Gazette, in criticizing the appeal, says that Irish Canadians should ask Mr. Blake how long this system of begging is to continue. Possibly all expenses now defrayed by donations will come out of the treasury of the Irish government under Home Rule. The Gazette says that the letter calls emphatic attention to the reality of the danger apprehended by all classes in Ireland which have anything to lose.

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TORONTO TESTIMONY.

DEAR SIRS,—Two years ago I had a bad attack of biliousness and took one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and can truly recommend it to any suffering from that complaint
MRS. CHARLES BROWN, Toronto.

HAWAIIAN DOCUMENTS.

Important Correspondence Submitted to Congress—Admiral Benham's Report.

President Dole Demands Explanations From U. S. Minister Willis, Who Asks for Specifications.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Secretary Herbert to-day received from Rear-Admiral Irwin the following letters:

"Honolulu, Jan. 2, 1894. Sir,—I have the honor to submit the following report in regard to the situation since the departure of the Corwin on the 24th ult. The military preparations for defence continue to be made by the Provisional Government and the excitement is unabated. The newspapers assume that the military representatives of the U. S. Government, intend to use force to restore the Queen, at the same time they quote me as saying that I would not obey any order that I considered unlawful, also that the officers and men under my command had assumed the same attitude. These sensational reports are intended to influence public opinion in the United States, and are entirely without foundation. Since my arrival I have carefully avoided all expression of opinion, except in conference with the U. S. minister, and have ordered all my command to pursue a similar course.

"I may further add that Mr. Willis has never given me the slightest hint that there ever was any intention on the part of the U.S. Government to use force in order to restore the Queen. His own orders, to preserve strict a neutrality, have been implicitly obeyed. It has been asserted quite often that we were prepared to land, which is true, but our motives were intentionally misconstrued, as Mr. Willis stated openly, and his statement was published, that we would land solely for the purpose of suppressing riot, and to protect the lives and property of the defenceless. Were it not for the course of the newspapers in their endeavor to influence public opinion in the United States, no uneasiness would be felt; things would go on as usual. I do not believe that ordinary business is seriously affected, as reported; but new enterprises will not be undertaken until there is some settled government. The commanding officers of the Japanese cruiser Naniwa Kan and the British cruiser Champion called on me to arrange for landing a force to protect the lives and property of their countrymen in case there should be any serious riot. They offered to co-operate with me and to place their landing parties where, in my opinion, they would do the most good.

"Now, as the general public in Honolulu is fully aware of the above facts, and has no longer any apprehension of any riot, as the perusal of the President's message has convinced every one that no force would be used to change the Government, it is criminal for any one to make the misstatement referred to. Foreign influence, inimical to the interest of the United States is secretly at work here, as it is wherever we have any trade interests, and the influence will account for many of the mis-statements in the packets I forward of files of the newspapers covering the period since last mail. The health of the crews of the vessels here remains good."

"Honolulu, Jan. 3, 1894.—Sir,—I have the honor to call the attention of the department to the admirable discretion exercised by the officers and men of this squadron, under the most trying circumstances. Notwithstanding the great parade of preparations for war, not one case of misconduct on shore has occurred, and this evidence of perfect discipline has been very favorably commented upon by disinterested parties ashore and afloat."

The President to-day sent in to Congress another batch of Hawaiian correspondence: "Department of Foreign Affairs, Honolulu, Dec. 27: Sir,—Pending the further action of the Government of the United States upon the matters contained in your communication of Dec. 19 and my reply to the same, dated December 23, I desire to call your Excellency's most serious consideration to the dangerous and critical condition of this community, arising, I must respectfully submit, out of attitude which you have assumed, and the language which you have used in public, and in communications to this Government, and also the published letter of the Secretary of State of the United States, and the President's message on the subject of the restoration of the monarchy. After your arrival you made communications regarding your policy which were ambiguous and for several weeks waited to disclose your intentions, and have only partially done so up to the present moment, leaving this Government to infer what they may ultimately learn from the letter of Mr. Gresham and the President's message, in which it has been declared in very distinct language that the deposed Queen ought to be restored to the throne by the Government of the United States and leaving us further to infer that this assumed obligation would be discharged. Your language expressed in public declared that you intended to perform some act when the proper time arrived, without disclosing what that act would be. Under these circumstances there arose at once a general feeling of disquiet. The natural inference from your attitude, language, and refusal to disclose your purpose and from Mr. Gresham's letter and the President's message was that you intended to use force in maintaining your policy.

"In consequence of your attitude in this behalf, the enemies of the Government, believing in your intention to restore the monarchy by force, have become emboldened, and threats of the assassination of the officers of this Government have been made. The police force is frequently informed of conspiracies to create disorder. Aged and sick persons of all nationalities have been, and are, in a state of distress and anxiety. Owing to your attitude the Government has been compelled, by public apprehension, to largely increase its military force at great expense. Its offices have been placed, and still continue, in a position of defence and preparation for siege, and the community has been put into a state of mind bordering on terrorism. This Government has most earnestly sought from you and, through our representatives at Washington, from your Government some assurances that force will not be used and has failed to obtain it. Your action has unfortunately aroused the passions of all parties, and made it probable that disturbances may be created at any moment, I have therefore to ask you to inform me, with the least delay, whether you hold instructions to enforce your policy with the use of arms in any event."

Mr. Willis replying to Mr. Dole wrote: "Sir,—Your communication of this date was delivered at 4 p.m., and would have received an immediate answer, except for the statements reflecting upon the President of the United States, and upon his diplomatic agent in this country, which, in view of their gravity should, I respectfully submit, be set forth with more particularity and certainty."

Poisoned Through Ignorance.

CALGARY, Jan. 20.—An ex-mounted policeman named C. McGrath, died suddenly at Springbank, some distance west of here on the 12th inst., under circumstances which the coroner, Dr. T. E. Porter, deemed necessary to investigate. An inquest was accordingly held yesterday, eliciting the fact that the deceased had been suffering from congestion of the lungs for some time, that T. C. Lush, a companion had procured and administered in ignorance within a few hours of death, six pills, each containing eight grains of morphine, and that death resulted therefrom. The jury brought in a verdict according to the facts, and also censured the druggist for selling morphine without giving full directions as to its use.

THE FATHERLAND.

Lively Debate on Tariff Matters—The Wine, Tobacco and Bourse Proposals.

Another Silver Conference Not Unlikely to Be Called—Foreign Silver Privately Minted.

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BERLIN, Jan. 20.—In his speech made in the Reichstag to-day Dr. Mattnacht, prime minister of Wurtemburg, pointed out that Wurtemburg had not only reserved the right to prevent the imposition of a tax on wine, but the kingdom would strenuously oppose the wine tax. This declaration was more than a denunciation of the measure. It was infused with a spirit of animosity against Chancellor von Caprivi, such as might be expected from a statesman who has long been known as ready to stick at nothing to obtain the overthrow of the Chancellor.

The closing scenes of the debate developed the tactics which Dr. Mittnacht's declaration initiated. It was designed to draw the chancellor into a damaging discussion, either in refuting or explaining Dr. Mittnacht's statements to Prussia's promise to Wurtemburg, in 1870, never to impose a tax upon wine for imperial purposes.

Herr von Kardoff, a member of the Reichstag, moved that the House adjourn to give the Chancellor an opportunity to make an explanation. He professed to sympathize with the declarations of Dr. Mittnacht, which, he said, threw a pitiful light on the discords prevailing in the Bundesrath. No member of the House, according to Herr Kardoff, could think of closing the discussion and sending the bill to committee until the Government was given a chance to vindicate itself against the charges made by Herr Payer, that it had violated the rights secured to Wurtemburg under the constitution.

Herr Rickert said that the House should adjourn in order to give the Government time to determine upon withdrawing the measure.

Herren Ensinger and Greeler declared that the bill ought to be defeated without any delay. Dr. Mittnacht's defence of the constitutional right of Wurtemburg ought, they said, to satisfy the House that the measure should never have been proposed.

Herr Richter said he was willing to adjourn if the Government desired time to make explanations.

Count Rosadowsky, imperial secretary of the treasury, who had been consulting his colleagues, declared that the Government saw no reason for the house to adjourn. The bill, he added, had the approval of the Bundesrath, and it was a material feature of the Government's taxation proposals. The measure ought to be sent to a committee.

Dr. Mittnacht interposed that he had made his statements with the chancellor's previous knowledge that he was to make them

Finally the House, by a great majority, sent the bill to the general committee, which is now considering the tobacco and bourse taxation proposals. The Opposition have named this committee the "Burial committee," desiring to imply that though the Reichstag in plenary sitting decline to reject the Government's schemes, the committee will not allow them to re-appear in any form that will be acceptable to the ministers.

Herr Von Heyden's announcement in the Landtag on Thursday, that the Government proposed to inquire into means of restoring the price of silver, has been hastily assumed to be the forerunner of another monetary conference. The detailed proposals sent out yesterday as if they were to be the basis of the conference, originated in Herr Von Kardoff's bi-metallist clique. They have not a shadow of official sanction. The Government is not pledged to anything beyond the investigation of the money question under the light of latest legislation in America and India. Last year Chancellor von Caprivi combatted and ridiculed the bi-metallists. Since that time the Government has become convinced that it cannot absolutely defy the agrarian Conservatives, and it now adopts, therefore, a line of apparent concession. The Chancellor may even concede a currency commission, but official opinion does not yet admit the possibility that Germany may initiate another international money conference. The low price of silver has induced much illegal coinage of one mark and five mark pieces. Max Becker, of Shrenfeldt, a suburb of Cologne, was arrested this week, and now awaits trial for having produced coins of fine silver. The police have reason to believe that foreign silver is minted privately in Germany.

Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers does its work thoroughly, coloring a uniform brown or black, which, when dry, will neither rub, wash off, nor soil linen.

French China Tea Sets at Cheapside. *

CABLE LETTER.

Confidence Shattered in the Financial Policy of the India Council.

More About the Eastern Question—Anarchists in Italy—Methods of the Organization.

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LONDON, Jan. 20.—The departure of the India Council to-day from the maintenance of the minimum of fifteen pence, farthing for council bills has shattered all confidence in its financial policy. No course seems now open to the Government except to confess that closing the Indian mints to free coinage was an error. The Statist in discussing the situation prior to to-day's announcement, says: "India has for more than six months done without council drafts. If this goes on, the Government will become bankrupt. If the council can neither borrow nor sell drafts, how are its engagements to be met? The Government ought to immediately recognize the mistake and not allow shame to prevent its retracting its mistake." An inkling of the Council's decision was obviously known to some operators in the city yesterday, as rupee paper relapsed one half. There was a similar fall to-day. City opinion is distinctly unfavorable to the Council's step as adding confusion to the already perplexed trade relations with India, and as not likely to prevent the eventual reversal of the Council's mintage edict.

RUSSIA IN THE EAST.

The negotiations of the Foreign Office with Russia as to the boundary of the Pamirs have resulted in an arrangement to which the Ameer of Afghanistan has consented. All parties to the arrangement are satisfied that the State of Jakhan, which the dispute concerned, has been left to the protection of the Ameer. Russia has now settled with China the dispute as to boundary in the same region. It is reported that Lord Rosebery, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has obtained the sanction of China to propose to France a convention in which Siam's integrity shall be declared invincible, and shall be placed under the protection of France, Great Britain and China. This proposal seems to be intended to test the truth of France's declaration that she will not follow an aggressive policy in Asia.

ANARCHISM AND ITS METHODS.

Cararra, Massa di Cararra and the surrounding country were, according to a dispatch from Rome, fairly tranquil yesterday. Occasionally a black flag was visible in the mountains, and a few gun shots were heard. The bands of fugitive anarchists were supposed to be exchanging signals concerning the movements of the troops. The Alpine troops penetrated some of the wildest parts of the mountains, but encountered no anarchists. The police have gained considerable information since Wednesday as to anarchist organization and methods. Apparently there is perfect subordination in their ranks. Implicit blind obedience is required from all. The chiefs of the groups have far reaching powers. Every member is required to pay sixty centimes weekly to the organization. The money is used to relieve anarchists fleeing from the officers of justice and to buy weapons. The police have seized many copies of the Manual of Anarchism.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Exaggerated Cables Regarding Manitoba Farmers Contradicted by the Minister of the Interior.

North-West Public School Act Not Likely to Be Disallowed—Steamboat Inspection.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—Great indignation prevails here over the grossly exaggerated dispatch sent to the British press from Winnipeg, respecting the condition of the Manitoba farmers. Hon. T. M. Daly has authorized Sir Charles Tupper to contradict the statement, and has transmitted extracts from the Lieut.-Governor's speech at the opening of the Legislature.

It is currently reported that the Governor-General will not disallow the Northwest Public School Act.

A bill consolidating the Steamboat Inspection Act will be introduced in Parliament next session.

BRAZILIAN ADVICES.

Officers for Service on the New Cruisers—The "Aquidaban" Off to Santos.

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 20.—The following advices have been received from Rio: Peixoto has decided to dispense with the services of General Ferraris, owing to his unsuccessful management of the recent attack upon Engenho. Several officers sailed from Rio on January 19th for Pernambuco on the Italian steamer Las Palmas, for service on the Nictheroy and America. An order has been received by Peixoto's naval squadron in this harbor to sail for Paranaguay. Saldanha da Gama received from Europe on Thursday two torpedo beats and a steamer loaded with ammunition and arms. Yesterday the Aquidaban left the harbor again, bound for Santos. The Republica is said to be stationed now outside the harbor entrance, scanning every ship which enters or leaves it.

It is rumored serious differences exist between the Brazilian Minister to Uruguay, Menterroa, and Admiral General Vez, who commands the Brazilian squadron here. Federal sympathizers here deny the reports of the recent victory of Castilhistas in Rio Grande do Sul. They say the siege of Bage was voluntarily abandoned, and that no excesses were committed save by the Government troops. The Brazilian armed transport Itapas left here yesterday afternoon, bound for Pernambuco.

Blank, legal and duty forms at Hibben & Co.'s.

Sheffield Cutlery Store.

Pocket knives, table cutlery, shears and razors in great variety at Fox's, 78 Government street.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

A Large Party of Washington Farmers Anxious to Settle in This Province.

Nanaimo Coal Output Increased — Shipments of Slocan Ore—Charges Against Policemen.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Captain W. H. Copp claimed that Captain Peterson, an American skipper at present in port, owed him money. Captain Peterson was about to leave with his ship, the Eclipse, when Captain Copp capiased him. The officers were just placing him under arrest when he ran up the stars and stripes, as claiming protection from the United States. The officers there postponed operations, and there the matter stands.

Chinamen have taken a hand in the petty thievery now so prevalent here. Ah Quan is the last thief caught red-handed.

The bye elections for school trustees, to fill vacancies occasioned by the retirement of Trustees Brown and Collins came off yesterday, C. W. Murray and John McAllister being elected.

The exports to the United States from the port of Vancouver during 1893 were: Butter, $2,400; boats, $1,100; cranberries, $900; curios, $5,728; furs, $18,994; fish, $26,452; horses, $3,452; lumber, $65,030; miscellaneous, $21,155; iron ore, $13,573; silver, $31,163; rice, $7,426; sugar refined, $11,046; sugar raw, $123,324; syrup, $2,277; silk, $40,970; slate, $830; tea, $4,666. Total, $380,481.

The first issue of the Chinese paper, the Globe-Reporter, edited by the Yeng Wan Bo Publishing Co., appeared to-day. It is an eight page paper and is lithographed in Chinese.

A well-known cider merchant has all the newsboys in Vancouver buying up Japanese and Straits Settlement silver at fifty cents on the dollar. He is going to ship them to Toronto, Montreal and Winnipeg, where his agents will attempt to pass them at their face value.

J. W. Horne is to build a fine brick block on Cordova street, to replace the dingy wooden structures opposite the Holland block.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 20.—General Macpherson and several other prominent farmers of Lynden, Washington, have been in the city a few days examining maps of the Province and making inquiries in regard to the land laws, steps to be taken to acquire lands, etc. The General and his associates are Populists and extreme Free Traders, and believing the system of protection is too deeply rooted in the United States to be overthrown, within a reasonable time, have determined to leave the United States and seek shelter from excessive taxation under the British flag. The unreliability of the financial institutions in the States is, they say, another reason for the contemplated movement. The men associated with General MacPherson are mostly well-to-do farmers in the northern part of Washington State. They mean business, they say, and when the new colony is established it will consist of several hundred persons. Speaking to your representative, General MacPherson said a deputation from the promoters of the project would wait on the Provincial Parliament during the present session, and ask to have a suitable tract of unsettled lands set aside for the colony. They think the neighborhood of the Skeena would suit them, or, perhaps, Bulkely valley, at the south-east Forks of the Skeena, which is set down by Mr. Poudrier, P.L.S., as a magnificent grazing country and very suitable for mixed farming. If satisfactory arrangements can be made with the Government, the colonists will bring with them their farming implements, stock and household goods.

The report that Thomas E. Ladner is lying ill in San Francisco is contradicted by his family. Mr. Ladner was to leave for Victoria to-day.

Charges have been laid against several policemen of accepting bribes to hush infractions of the Liquor License By-law. An investigation is being held.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Jan. 20.—The output of coal from the New Vancouver Coal company's mines is being increased, and there is every prospect of this month's shipment being considerably greater than in December.

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Union Brewery Co., Mr. John Perry was re-elected president. The other officers appointed were: W. H. Young, vice-president, and Mayor Quennell, treasurer. Messrs. R. Dunlap and W. Keddy were elected to the board of directors.

On Sunday evening there will be a re-union of the various temperance organizations in this city at the Y. M. C. A. hall. Reports of the past year's work will be made by representatives of the following societies, viz: I. O. G. T., R. T. of T., Sons of Temperance, W. C. T. U., C. of E. T. S. and Y. M. C. A.

During the past year the New Vancouver Coal company cleared about 165 acres of land at the back of the town. Some 7,000 trees were felled by the famous machine in use by the company. In addition to this progressive work, the company have opened several roads in the five acre lots district. There are at present close on 100 houses erected in this locality, some of them being very substantial buildings, and the settlers generally appear to be prosperous.

Thomas Kitchen, real estate agent of this city, has instructed Eberts & Taylor, barristers, of Victoria, to take proceedings against the Free Press for libel, damages $25,000.

Arrived, bark Rufus E. Woods.

FRENCH CREEK.

FRENCH CREEK, Jan. 16.—Maximum temperature at French Creek for the week ending Monday, January 8th, was 37 deg., minimum, 24 deg.; mean, 32 deg. The rainfall during the same period was .08 inches, snowfall 3 inches.

UNION.

UNION, Jan. 19.—The rapid thaw of last week was followed on Monday by a heavy snowstorm, accompanied with strong wind which uprooted a large number of trees in the vicinity. The telegraph wires were down, but were soon repaired and communication restored. The snowfull since Monday is 21 inches.

The contract for widening the entrance of No. 4 slope has been let, and the work of excavation commenced which, when complete, will allow of a double track being made, and a great increase in the output will be the result.

Mr. J. V. Nicholls leaves to-day on the Joan for Nanaimo, where he will read under the Rev. G. A. Tovey for holy orders. Mr. Nicholls is a young man of great promise and ability, and leaves Union with the best wishes of all for his success in life.

The funeral sermon of the late Martin Hanson was preached in the schoolhouse on Sunday last by Rev. John Robson, B.A., to a crowded congregation.

BOUNDARY CREEK.

(From the Vernon News.)

It is reported that Eastern capitalists are negotiating for the Lincoln and City of Paris mines in White's Camp, and the Knob Hill and Ironsides in Greenwood Camp. The purchasers intend to develop the property and erect the necessary concentrating and smelting machinery to work the ores of these properties and also do custom work for others engaged in development.

Messrs. Denzler and Schofield are driving a tunnel through a 60-foot ore body on the Stemwinder to tap the bottom of the shaft.

The new post office at this point was opened for the benefit of the public on January 1, with Thomas McAuley as postmaster and Thomas McDonald assistant.

Sam Bloyer sold one-half of the Skylark mine to John Douglas of Boundary creek, and work will be resumed on the property at once. Ore has been shipped to Tacoma from this property ever since its discovery.

KASLO-SLOCAN.

(From the Kaslo-Slocan Examiner.)

Since the 21st day of December up to the 10th day of January, a period of three weeks, there was shipped from Kaslo to the smelters in the United States 1,511,172 pounds, or nearly 2,000 tons of ore, its estimated value as shipped being $113,336. This represents fifteen shipments and is a remarkable showing for a camp so young as the Kaslo-Slocan.

The last shipments of ore from the Dardanelles mines was one from the Dardanelles on December 25, consisting of 52 tons, and one from the Antelope on January 8, consisting of 20½ tons.

Ore continues to arrive at the wharves here from the Freddie Lee, Mountain Chief, Idaho, Washington, Blue Bird and other mines.

The Fort Sheppard road has transported 2,000 tons of Kaslo-Slocan ore since it was opened for traffic three weeks ago.

OSOYOOS.

(From the Vernon News.)

Mr. Monaghan states that it is his intention to put up a ten-stamp mill in Camp McKinney before spring. In the meantime he will put on men to take out ore and lay the foundation for the mill.

ANOTHER CLEVER ARREST.

Last night, between the hours of ten and eleven, as Officer McAfee was going over his beat, he noticed a suspicious looking craft tied up at the Hudson's Bay Co.'s wharf, and being curious (as sometimes officers are) to find out who and what she was, he cautiously walked, under shadow of the freight sheds, until he reached her, and then quietly dropped upon her deck. Not hearing any movement on board, he tried to open the cabin door but, finding it locked, forced it open, and the scene that met his eyes was one that he will long remember, for there sat in a dazzling glare of light, three of the best known celebrities on the American continent, Daisy Bell and the two little girls in blue, drinking, with the greatest gusto, mackie's white horse cellar.

The officer quickly examined the lockers and found sixteen cases, which they confessed had been taken from the Hudson's Bay Co.'s warehouse.

These three maidens of vocal repute say that, notwithstanding their arrest, they will still continue to gargle with the celebrated blend of the white horse cellar.

CRISIS IN SERVIA.

Resignation of the Ministry—M. Nicolaevitch Fails to Organize a Working Cabinet.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The Vienna correspondent of the Daily News says: "The crisis in Belgrade is about to culminate. The question is whether it will affect the ministry only or the whole system. In view of the serious situation, the Radicals and Liberals have temporarily coalesced. The Radicals declare that in the event of another coup they will take extreme measures. The Guilch cabinet resolved not to resign until the last moment. The army is opposed to the Guilch government. The King is undecided. He has severed his connection with the Radicals, and is awaiting the arrival of M. Pasitich from St. Petersburg.

BELGRADE, Jan. 20.—M. Nicolaevitch has failed to organize a working cabinet. Although he secured the full complement of ministers, he was unable to unite them on a programme.

THE U. S. S. "MARION."

She Is Ordered Home and Will Go Out of Commission at Once.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The old warship Marion, whose days of usefulness have nearly ended, has been ordered home from Asiatic waters, where she has been for some time. This afternoon, Secretary Herbert cabled Admiral Skerret to send the Marion to the United States as soon as possible. The Marion is at Yokohama and will sail across the Pacific to Mare Island, California, where she will go out of commission.

SICILIAN OUTBREAK.

Important Documents Secured Giving Details of the Whole Conspiracy.

ROME, Jan. 20,—The Reform newspaper says that the search made by General Heusch, the new military Governor of Carrara and Massa di Carrara, have resulted in the seizure of important documents which gave in detail the proposition made for the outbreak there and the plans of the conspirators for subsequent pillage.

Mr. and Madame W. Edgar Buck having severed their connection with the Conservatory of Music, will be glad to receive pupils at their new studio, 85 and 87 Five Sisters Block, after January 1. Instruction in opera, oratorio and concert singing. French lessons, private and conversation classes. Residence "Mon Abri," Rockland avenue.

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ANOTHER COAL DEAL.

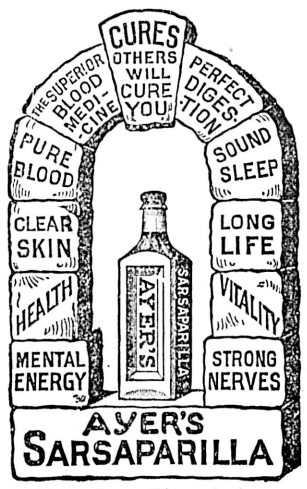
The Beaver Co.'s Property Likely to Pass into the Hands of a New York Syndicate.

HALIFAX, Jan. 20.—(Special)—The probabilities are that another big mine in Nova Scotia will soon pass into the hands of a New York syndicate. An agreement was entered into to-day by G. Metz, representing a number of New Yorkers, and the owners of the Beaver Mining Company's mine at Sheet harbor, for the sale of the mine to a syndicate for $75,000. The agreement, however, is conditional. Should Mr. Metz find that within nine months the mine is not as represented the deal is off.

THE OMLADINA TRIAL.

Continuation of the Tumult—Insolent Prisoners and Their Counsel.

PRAGUE, Jan. 20.—The tumult of the previous days of the Omladina trials was repeated to-day. One prisoner became so insolent that the presiding judge ordered him back to jail and directed that he be punished with solitary confinement. Most of the remaining prisoners and their counsel shouted in protest, jeered and hissed the court. The lawyers for the defence threatened to retire from the case, and consented only after prolonged squabbling to proceed with the trial.



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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L. Campbell, R. S. oc15

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First Sermons of the New Rector, Rev. J. W. Flinton, at Cedar Hill.

Organ Recital Series at St. John's—Sacred Song Service at Spring Ridge.

At St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill, to-day, the congregation which for years sat under the ministry of the late Rev. M. C. Browne, will listen to the first sermons preached by the new rector, Rev. J. W. Flinton, whose formal induction to the pastorate took place on Friday last. The congregations will no doubt be unusually large both morning and evening, as many—outside the reverend gentleman's flock—will be anxious to hear him. At St. John's church, Douglas and Fisgard streets, Mr. J. E. Bridgman in compliance with a very general request will give an organ recital on the conclusion of the evening service, the supplementary music being as below. These recitals will be given in future on the third Sunday in each month:

Grand Offertoire in F minor.....Batiste
"La Devotion".....Eugene Thayer
"Largo".....Handel
Festive march in D.....Hy. Smart

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Septuagesima Sunday.

Christ Church Cathedral, Church Hill—8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins and sermon; 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

St. James' church, James' Bay—Venerable Archdeacon Scriven, pastor; usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p m.

St. John's church, Douglas and Fisgard streets—Rev. Percival Jenns, rector; usual services throughout the day.

St. Barnabas' church, Cook street and Caledonia avenue—In the absence of Rev. G. W. Taylor from the city, the pulpit will be suitably supplied.

St. Saviour's church, Victoria West—Rev. D. W. Barber, pastor; Holy Communion at 8 and 11 a. m.; services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

St. Mark's church, Boleskine road—Rev. W. H. P. Arden, pastor; usual services throughout the day.

St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill—Rev. J. W. Flinton, pastor; usual services.

Church of Our Lord (R.E.), Humboldt street—Services as usual throughout the day. Preachers: Morning, the Bishop; evening, Rev. G. C. King.

King's road Mission, corner of Third street—Service at 11 a.m., Rev. G. C. King preaching; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.

St. Andrew's (R.C.) cathedral, Blanchard and View streets—Usual services throughout the day.

Metropolitan Methodist church, Pandora avenue and Quadra street—Rev. Solomon Cleaver, M.A., pastor. Services throughout the day as usual.

Centennial church, Gorge road—Rev. Joseph Hall, pastor. Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

James Bay church, Menzies street and Michigan—Rev. E. Robson, pastor.

Methodist church, Victoria West—Rev. George H. Morden, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

First Presbyterian church, Pandora avenue and Blanchard street—Rev. Dr. Campbell, pastor, will occupy the pulpit at both services. Morning subject, "Christ in You the Hope of Glory;" evening, "The Unsaved Young Man."

St. Andrew's church, Douglas and Broughton streets—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. D. A. Macrae, of Nanaimo, preaching at both services.

Central church, Pandora avenue and Broad street—Rev. P. McF. Macleod, pastor; services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "A Missionary Church;" evening subject, "The False Worship and the True."

St. Paul's church, Victoria West—Rev. D. McRae, pastor; usual services throughout the day.

Cedar Hill, East Fernwood and Spring Ridge—Rev. A. Chisholm, pastor; usual services.

Calvary Baptist church, Herald and Blanchard streets—Rev. J. E. Coombs, at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m.

Emmanuel church, North Chatham street and Fernwood road—Rev. P. H. McEwen, pastor. The morning sermon will be "Conquest," and in the evening there will be a service of song.

Christadelphian hall, 47½ Government street—Lecture at 7 o'clock; subject, "What are the Promises to the Fathers, and Have They Been Fulfilled?"

Omineca hall, Oriental avenue—Usual services of the Believers throughout the day.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

Wall Street Much More Cheerful—Higher Wires From London—A Remarkable Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—It has been many weeks since Wall street felt as cheerful as it did to-day. The tendency of prices was upward, and the "bulls" were in control from the opening to the close of the session. The reaction in the final trading, occasioned no surprise, as it quite often happens that the small traders take their profits at the end of the week rather than carry their contracts over Sunday. The first thing to give an impetus to speculation this morning was the receipt of higher wires from London and moderate buying orders from that centre. The execution of the latter developed the fact that there were a few stocks pressing for sale in the local market. The aid received from the foreigners encouraged the "bulls" to take a more aggressive stand, and in a short time they had the whole list on the up tack. There was a disposition to anticipate the effect of the bank statement, which proved to be a most remarkable exhibit. The increase in cash was $13,768,900, and in the surplus reserve $10,170,775, lifting the amount held by the banks in excess of the twenty-five per cent. legal requirement, to the unprecedented figure of $102,704,450. Toward the close sugar weakened rather suddenly on rumors of probable legislation adverse to the company, and the stock declined 2 per cent. to 82½. This, together with sales to realize profits, led to a reaction in the remainder of the list of ⅛ to 2 per cent. from the highest, and speculation left off steady in tone. The sales were 132,174 shares. Closing bids:—Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, 11¾; Burlington & Quincy, 76⅛; Canada Southern, 50⅜; Canadian Pacific, 70; Central Pacific, 15; Chicago, Columbus & Cincinnati, 34⅝; Delaware & Lackawanna, 169; Erie, 15⅛; Wells Fargo, 124; Great Northern preferred, 102; Lake Shore, 126½; Louisville & Nashville, 44⅝; Missouri Pacific, 22¼; New York Central, 100⅝; New York & New England, 13; North American, 3⅞; Northern Pacific, 4¼; do., preferred, 16⅛; Northwestern, 102¾; Oregon Navigation, 20; Oregon Improvement, 13; Pacific Mail, 15½; Reading, 20¼; Rock Island, 67⅝; Southern Pacific, 23¼; St. Paul, 59½; Texas Pacific, 8⅛; Union Pacific, 19¾; Western Union, 85⅜. Bar silver, 69c. per ounce. Money on call 1 to 1½; Foreign exchange, sterling 4.85½ for 60 days, 4 87½ on demand. Union Pacific firsts of 1896, 103¼; Central Pacific firsts of 1895, 102⅛.

PROFIT SHARING.

A Ten Year's Trial of the System Has Fully Satisfied All the Parties.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 18.—The employes of the N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Company are in good spirits to-day. This concern is conducted on the profit-sharing plan, and for the past ten years the workmen have received annual dividends. In August last, when the financial stringency was making itself manifest, they accepted without demur a cut of 25 per cent. in wages. To-day, under a recent resolution of the board of directors, a dividend of 7 per cent. was distributed, and in addition the loss by the cut in wages was returned in full in cash to each employe. This satisfactory condition of affairs was brought about by a revival in the business of the corporation.

MORE WORKERS THAN WORK

Local Labor Leaders Say There Are Many Unemployed in all Trades.

The Usual Crowding From Country Into City a Very Prominent Cause.

"The labor market is dead" say the local leaders in working circles, the opinion of a number of whom was asked yesterday as to the cause of the prevailing depression among the toilers. Mr. B. H. West, well known as being interested in the labor question, does not think that there is much prospect of any great change, for the winter at least. It is not because the market is glutted or overcrowded, but because there is not the work offering. In fact, though there is not anything like as many people here to-day as there were two or three years, or even a year ago, it is infinitely more difficult for a man to obtain work now than it was then. The result, of course, is want and poverty. He knew of several cases that had been reported to him; one man was in just the same day and told him he had been out of work for three months. How his family lived was a mystery, because they had no means to fall back on, and the tale of poverty he poured into Mr. West's ear was pitiful. In his own (Mr. West's) trade of boot-making, things had come down to a very fine point. The custom business, as it is called, had dwindled to almost nothing, the shops that formerly employed seven to ten hands now keeping one or two. The hands are not to be found idle here, because they go away, and those that happen along go off, too, when they find there is no work to be done. In the factories the work is done by Chinese almost altogether. As a matter of fact, Mr. West considered this the dullest winter he had known here. The only remedy he saw was the opening up of the lands of the province, so as to attract the people away from the congested centres of trade, where men jostle each other in competition for work. Several men have told him that their services have been refused in preference to Chinamen, but he could not verify the statement of these men without inquiring personally.

Mr. Thomas Howell and Mr. Berridge, two more prominent figures in all public discussions on labor matters, were found together discussing this very subject. They stated that there was considerable want existing among the working class; more than in any recent year. The former gentleman cited a case that only a few days ago came under his personal observation. A respectable looking woman called at his house and related a harrowing history. The husband had been out of work for just about four months, although no stone had been left unturned in the search for something that would put a loaf on the table. There were two children to provide bread for, and very often they had to go hungry. The poor woman besought Mrs. Howell to let her have the family washing, which she offered to do at the same rates as the Chinamen. Mr. Howell remarked that a thoroughly able exposition of the cause of the trouble was made in an editorial in the COLONIST the other day, where the writer dealt forcibly and intelligently with the subject. He thoroughly agreed with the writer that the only remedy was to get the people back on the land whence they came, but he held that as the land is held at present this is not possible. Most trades are feeling the weight of the depression, principally the carpenters, who are the chief complainers. Bricklayers are also practically idle as a body. The only work in their trade going on now is some of the surface drain contract and a few houses.

Mr. Jno. Fraser, president of the Trades and Labor Council, is more hopeful, and speaks of the depression as the "recent" trouble, which he attributes to a number of sources. The close proximity of this place to the States makes any change on the other side be felt almost simultaneously here. As to the actual state of the local market, he had heard stories of want existing in Victoria, the truth of which he had every reason to believe. It was a fact that a great number of families had gone away through the dearth of employment, because some of the trades unions that in good times had a large membership, have now barely sufficient to hold their charters; some of the unions could not even hold their meetings. In his own business, that of tailoring, there are not more that half as many people employed as found work some two or three years ago. Bricklayers, carpenters and other building trades had suffered very much, although with the construction of the Provincial and the Dominion Government buildings projected there was a prospect of a revival of business in those branches. In other lines, too, he noticed indications of better times, although they might be slow in coming, but the great remedy was the getting back of the people on to the land, and the working of the land by the people for the people.

GORED BY A COW.

A fine colt belonging to Mr. Peter Lindsay, of Nixon, Ont., was badly hooked by a cow. Two bottles of Hagyard's Yellow Oil cured it. This invaluable remedy should be in every house. It cures cuts, sprains, bruises, burns, and all pains and aches in man or beast.

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This Property is within easy distance of many of the most important Gold, Silver and Coal Mines in West Kootenay. The population of this district will increase this year by at least 10,000; the area of farm land is very limited, and from this it may be fairly asserted that beef and all classes of farm produce will find a ready and lucrative market. The soil is the best bottom land, and the locality is one of the few places in the Province where so large a piece of good farm land can be found in one block. A river runs through the property, and rainbow trout are plentiful and afford capital sport. Deer abound in considerable numbers. Bear, Wolf, Coyote and other large game are to be found in the hills. There are two creeks recorded and belonging to the estate, one flows all the year round. Limestone and brick clay are to be had in the valley.

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The South West Kootenay District, British Columbia, judging from the actual ore products of the mines this winter, is destined in the next year or two to become one of the richest and most important mineral centres in the world. Statistics show, that although the district is in its primary stage, the mines have developed ore veins rich enough to warrant the investment of over million dollars. When these mines come to be worked systematically, there will be an

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NOTICES.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the stockholders in the South Fork Hydraulic & Mining Company, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the President of the Company, Quesnelle Forks, Cariboo, on Monday, the 19th day of February, A.D. 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the expediency of selling the whole or such portion of the property of the Company as may be agreed upon at such meeting, and if agreed upon, passing resolutions authorizing any such proposed sale to be carried into effect.

WILLIAM STEPHENSON,
President of the South Fork Hydraulic & Mining Company, Limited Liability.
Quesnelle Forks, the 19th day of December, 1893. de30-1m

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the ensuing session of the Legislature of British Columbia, on behalf of the National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, Limited, for a Private bill changing the name of the Company to the Victoria Electric Railway and Lighting Company, Limited, consolidating the Acts and By-laws under which the Company exists and declaring and defining the powers and privileges of the Company.

C. T. DUPONT,
President N. E. T. & L. Co., Ltd.
Dated this 27th day of December, 1893. de29-6w

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to His Honor The Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have the title of the National Electric Tramway & Lighting Company, Limited Liability, changed as follows: Instead of National Electric Tramway & Lighting Company, Limited Liability, the title to be the Victoria Electric Railway & Lighting Company, Limited Liability.

C. T. DUPONT,
President N. E. T. & L. Co., Ltd.
Victoria, Dec. 28, 1893. de29-3m

NOTICE.

I have this day admitted Mr. E. Bloomingdale, of San Francisco, as a partner in my business at Victoria, B.C., which hereafter will be continued under the firm name of Simon Leiser & Co.

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Administrator's Notice.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the Estate of James Smillie, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease, bearing date the 17th day of January, 1894, I was appointed administrator of all and singular the personal estates, chattels and credits of James Smillie, late of the City of Victoria, B. C., deceased, intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 17th day of February, A. D., 1894, and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
ja18-1w Official Administrator.

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MILD CRITICISM.

The comments of the Opposition papers on the Governor's speech have all the appearance of being little more than perfunctory. They, we presume, considered that it would not do to say nothing at all about the Speech, so they have contrived to say something that is as near nothing as it can well be. They have no fault to find with the Government's programme. The policy which it foreshadows is evidently in their opinion what the Province needs. They have no suggestions to make. We conclude from this that there is no subject requiring attention which in the opinion of the Opposition press the Government have not considered. This is very satisfactory, and we hope that it is an indication that the Opposition journals when criticising the actions, done or contemplated, by the Government, are going to turn over a new leaf. They have certainly found that the policy of carping and quibbling and irrational fault-finding has not been productive of results that are at all encouraging, and profiting by their experience they may have resolved to try what the effect of moderation, candor and fairness will be. If they have made up their minds to comment upon the acts of the Government fairly and not to find fault unless and until there are grounds for fault-finding, they will, we venture to predict, find their criticisms much more effective than they have been hitherto. And, besides being the most effective way of dealing with the Government from their own point of view, it will be in every respect the pleasantest.

The old country-debating-society style of criticism in which it was thought essential to pitch into the "last speaker" to belittle him, and to attribute to him the worst motives imaginable, is, we are pleased to see, fast going out of fashion in the journalism of this Dominion. The critics having found that it is as foolish as it is futile to attempt to raise themselves in the esteem of the public by traducing their rivals and opponents, have adopted more reasonable as well as more courteous methods. The consequences are that the work of the newspapers is much better done than it used to be, and that the journalistic profession is in a higher and in every way a better position.

We trust that the temperate criticisms of the Opposition newspapers on the Speech from the Throne, is a new departure in the journalism of the province and that British Columbia newspapers, in so far as the discussion of political subjects and public men is concerned, will be models to those of the other provinces of the Dominion.

THE RISE OF ANARCHY.

Karl Blind, in the January number of the Contemporary Review, discourses on the "Rise and Development of Anarchism." It must be confessed that he does not throw a great deal of light on the subject. He says very little indeed about the principles—if they can be called principles—and the objects—if they have an object—of the anarchists. He does not go back further than 1848. Anarchy made its appearance in that eventful year, "the traces of that Mephistophelian and ultra-pessimistic Anarchism being then but faintly visible." Since then anarchy has made considerable progress, and much more than "traces" of it can be found in many countries. Its apostles have been chiefly Germans, Frenchmen and Russians. According to Blind, Proudhon had much to do with teaching the doctrines which have made men anarchists, but its chief apostle was a Russian, Michael Bakunin. This man had a restless spirit and a mind of pernicious activity. He travelled all over the world, and wherever he went he made disciples. Here is how Dr. Franz Meleing described this arch anarchist:

At the head of the opposition stood Bakunin. This half or wholly crazy fancy-monger—whom Marx and his associates used to charge with being a Panslavist spy of the Russian Government—did not think that he should waste his time with a difficult criticism of State and society. He simply advocated Anarchy as the right thing in itself; the abolition of all classes of all authorities, of all States, of all patriotism, of all nationality, of all inequality down to the difference between man and woman. According to him both sexes were to wear closely cropped hair and wide garments, hats of the same shape and blue spectacles, so that even outwardly all distinctions should disappear.

"Bestiality" is the only word that can at all adequately describe the system of this mad Russian, and even that would not be sufficiently significent, for he would, if he had his way, degrade the human race below a herd of wild beasts. Yet this man wherever he went made converts. Johann Most, who is not unknown on this continent, was one of Bakunin's disciples.

"Bakunin," the reviewer says, "declared that in order to bring about the abolition of all State formations and Governments, which were to be superseded by small groups of independent workers, it would be necessary to 'unloose all the passions now called evil, and to destroy what is by the same class of speakers called public order.' No wonder a deranged disciple of Bakunin like Johann Most drew his own pretty conclusions from such doctrines." One anarchist thought it would not be necessary to kill more than the twentieth part of the German population—about two millions—in order to make room for his free groups, and another boldly declared his principles by publishing a periodical whose title was literally "Up with Bestiality."

Some of the teachers of anarchy have been men of education and intelligence who endeavored to hide the hideousness of their teachings under ambiguous phrases which to the superficial reader would appear profoundly philosophic. A Progressist Berlin paper thus describes this tribe of Western Thugs:

"Anarchism has not the object of effecting reforms. Nor is it to be characterized as a revolutionary movement. It is mere bestiality, which covers itself with sounding phrases. The scum of men, to whom too much honor would be done by describing them as a party, may throw bombs in order to maim and to destroy people whom the criminal miscreant has never seen or known. Against such persons there is no choice but between the penitentiary and the lunatic asylum."

These men, who are to be classed as either lunatics or criminals, are creating trouble in Italy, Spain, France and other parts of Europe. They are, as has been seen, the enemies of Society. They are bound by no laws, neither is their conduct governed by any principles of honor. They are cruelty incarnate. It is no wonder that an international movement has been set on foot to put them down and to keep them down. The more that is known of them, their practices and their teachings, the more hateful and the more dangerous do they appear.

HEAR THE OTHER SIDE.

A good deal has been said, officially and otherwise, to the prejudice of Dr. Barnardo's boys. The Inspector of Penitentiaries said some very hard things about boy immigrants, and the Brandon Grand Jury, in one of its presentments, gave expression to opinions about them which were not warranted by the facts. It is commonly believed that the lads are the children of vicious parents and that they have inherited tendencies which are not calculated to make them good citizens. Naturally Dr. Barnardo is indignant at what he believes to be the misrepresentations about the boys which have been circulated in Canada. He considers that great injustice has been done to the lads whom he has trained and sent to the Northwest. He complains that the newspapers publish what has been written to their prejudice while they have said nothing about what has appeared in their favor. He has written to English newspapers to prove that much that has been said about the boys is altogether false, and that most of the accusations preferred against them are completely groundless:

With regard to Manitoba, he says, "the case stands thus. If we send out, say, 1,500 trained lads, of these not less than 1,480 do 'very well,' and 'fairly well.' That important fact is, however, entirely ignored by the labor party and the press, though by sending these 1,480 lads out at the sole cost of benevolent people in this country, we have conferred an incalculable benefit upon the Northwest. But the twenty 'failures,' or comparative failures, remain. These we classify as 'middling,' 'bad,' and 'very bad.' Say there are eight or ten, or, at the most, a dozen, in the last named section; these perhaps come before the public, and a heedless prejudice, together with a partial desire to propitiate the all-powerful proletariat, causes some jury (whether common or grand), or some other public body, or some journalist hard up for political 'copy,' to see in them fair representatives of the whole. Hence the jurors' presentment or the journalist's leader. There may even be some other forces at work, such as anti-religious feeling on the part of some, which tends to bring into bad and undeserved eminence any reputed failure that may have occurred."

The boys should have fair play. If they are not desirable immigrants it can easily be shown what is wrong about them. If not more than 1½ per cent. of them prove to be "failures," they can hardly be said to be a very bad class of immigrants. We are very much afraid that if an account were kept of the way in which 1,500 boys of any class turn out, it would be a matter of agreeable surprise if only twenty of them proved to be "failures" or comparative failures. From our experience of boys we should say that if Dr. Barnardo's figures are correct his boys are, on the whole, quite as good as the average. Of course a good deal depends upon what is meant by failures. If idleness and intemperance, as well as what is generally regarded as "crime," are looked upon as causes of "failure," there is very little ground for any prejudice against Dr. Barnardo's boys.

THE OWNERSHIP OF LETTERS.

Who is the owner of a letter—the person who wrote it, or the person who received it? This is a question that came up for decision in an English court of law a short time ago before Mr. Justice Hawkins. A titled lady had written a number of letters to her lover. She changed her mind, as ladies sometimes do, and married another man. After her marriage she requested her old lover to give her back her letters. He, like the cad that he was, refused to return them. She then tried to recover them at law. But she lost her suit. Mr. Justice Hawkins decided that the letters were the property of the man to whom they were sent.

The decision was a common-sense one, and it was, no doubt, according to law. Letters sent to a friend or to a business man are not like articles sent to a publisher, for which the writers expected to be paid, and to which as the work of their brain they have a right, if they are not published or paid for. A business letter, or a letter sent to a friend or lover is written for his benefit and without the expectation of payment. Such letters, after they pass out of the writer's possession, are evidently the property of the persons to whom they are addressed, and they can claim them, no matter into whose hands they may fall. Of course to every manly man a lady's love letter is sacred. He would scorn to keep it for one moment after he knew either that she wanted it back again, or was sorry that she had written it. But his giving up such letters is a matter of honor and feeling, not one of law. It can be easily understood that if letters were recoverable by the writers, persons who had made admissions on important subjects which they might afterwards find it convenient to deny, might compel their return and thus inflict wrong and loss on the receiver or some third party. Letters are sometimes very strong evidence in other than breach of promise cases, and it would never do if the writers of them could suppress them whenever it was their interest so to do. Mr. Justice Hawkins' decision is an important one, and the writers of compromising letters would do well after this to remember that after they have mailed a letter, it is not in any sense their property.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

We are glad to see that Grip has come to life again. The second number of the new series was received yesterday, and it is welcome. The illustrations are capital, and the humor, both of the cartoon and letterpress, bright and wholesome. Grip can teach as well as amuse, and it is pleasant once more to have a comic paper worthy of the Dominion.

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G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 22nd,

AT 11 A. M.

TO BLACKSMITHS AND CARRIAGE BUILDERS.

I have been instructed by owners to sell the plant of the late business of J. F. Beck & Co., Broughton and Gordon streets, next the Transfer Company's stables.

BLACKSMITH'S SHOP.

One set blacksmith's bench tools, 3 vises, 1 crane, 1 swedge block, 2 sets lightning stocks and dies, 2 sets common ditto, 1 tyre bender, 1 large vertical drill and 30 bits, 1 tyre upsetter, 1 grindstone, 2 bolt clippers, lot of thumb screws, 1 lot bolster tongs, 3 sledges, portable forge, lot of iron and steel, monkey wrenches, spanners, lot of shaft shackles and K. B. clips, 2 box wood stoves, office desk, etc, etc.

CARRIAGE AND BUGGY SHOP.

Lot of hickory and ash planking, bass wood panelling, carriage and buggy spokes, hubs, rims and wheels, buggy bows, neck yokes, oak fellows, wood cramps, large iron cramps, steam chest and fittings, boxing machine, tennoning machine, 2 wood workers vyces, 1 large iron cramp, lot of clips, carriage bolts, screws and fasteners, plated carriage handles, pole ends, whipple trees and shaft tips, hinges, buggy step pads, eliptic buggy springs, waggon platform springs, Collings carriage axles, ½ patent buggy axles, lot of cast malleable buggy iron work, 2 single open buggies, new, 1 waggon body and seat, dog cart, 1 mower, 2 sulky ploughs, &c., &c.

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ja20 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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THE CITY

MRS. BRIDGES and Mrs. Davidson will hold their usual social dance at Harmony hall on Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

IT is likely that judgment in the case of Dunsmuir v. the British bark Harold will not be given for a few days yet.

THE Legislative Assembly meets at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, when the Speech from the Throne will be taken up.

THE Victoria Trades and Labor Council will meet Friday evening for the semi-annual election of officers and the transaction of other business.

THE annual general meeting of the British Columbia Benevolent Society is called for 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, at the Pioneer hall, Broad street.

THE sheriff's sale of the furnishings of William Jordan's steam bakery at Victoria West, advertised to take place on Tuesday, has been postponed until further notice.

COMPLAINT has been made to the police that numbers of public school pupils are in the habit of smoking cigarettes on their way to and from school, and also during the lunch hour and recess. The local law in this respect will be rigorously enforced.

REV. W. W. HAMMOND, the reported seven-times bigamist, who made Victoria his home during the greater part of last summer, and with several of whose wives Chief Sheppard was in communication with a view to a prosecution, has turned up again in Juneau, Alaska, where he is preaching and practising medicine. The residents of the Northern city are anxious to secure his departure, and have written for his record.

TUESDAY evening the Single Tax club will hold their inaugural meeting in their new hall, which has been comfortably furnished and fitted up in the Salmon block. It is the intention to have a library and all the leading papers, and everything will be done to make the place the town home of Single Tax men here. It is understood that one of the items of business at next Tuesday's meeting will be the nomination of a candidate to run in the next Provincial election on the Single Tax principle.

THE officers of the B.C.G.A. met yesterday afternoon to complete arrangements for the affair at the new drill hall on Wednesday evening next, when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be present and formally declare the hall open. The artillery will parade to form a guard of honor, and the band will play a choice selection of music for the promenade concert which will be the feature of the evening. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of the friends of the corps.

INCLUDED in the freight from Union by the Joan yesterday were some magnificent samples of coal recently mined in the No. 4 slope. The main block was formed in the shape of a tray 3½x4½ feet, with a centre column 3 feet 9 inches in height. Around the column will be placed small, neatly chiseled blocks of coal, the whole being in the form of a pyramid. The destination of the exhibit is the Midwinter Fair at San Francisco, where the Union coal is fully expected to take the first medal and diploma, as did the Company's exhibit at the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia, and later at the World's Fair, Chicago.

THE tramway company have decided that in future only firemen and police officers shall be entitled to free transportation over their lines when in uniform and the heads of the departments have been notified accordingly. The step has been brought about, it is explained, through imposition on the courtesy of the company by the wearers of badges who are in reality not regular members of either brigade. There is considerable dissatisfaction among the police in connection with the new order, the plain-clothes men feeling that it is hard on them. They would like to receive passes such as are issued to the chief and sergeants, and think that this would meet the difficulty, which they do not dispute exists.

OWING to energetic action on the part of the police the great majority of the robberies committed in this city during the past three months have been promptly brought home to the offenders. John Saville, who broke into the premises of the Misses Beauchamp on Fort street on Thursday evening was tried summarily in the Police court yesterday, found guilty and sentenced to three months' imprisonment at hard labor. His only excuse was that he had been drinking and did not realize what he was doing. Charles Edwards, who was arrested at Saville's cabin, demonstrated conclusively that he had no knowledge of the crime and was dismissed. He was brought into the case unfortunately through the fact of his being Saville's cabin mate.

As will be seen by advertisement elsewhere in this issue the First Presbyterian church choir, under Mr. J. G. Brown's leadership, have arranged to celebrate Burns' anniversary on Tuesday evening of this week, with a grand concert in the church hall on Blanchard street. Quite an array of Scottish vocalists, instrumentalists and elocutionists has been secured for the occasion. Included are Mrs. McCandless and Miss Jameson, who are avowedly among Victoria's best sopranos, and who, in Scottish music, are superior to many professionals. Mrs. J. Duff Stuart, as a violinist, has more than a Provincial reputation, and her playing of Scotch airs has yet to be surpassed in Victoria. Possessed of a fine contralto voice, she is also able to hold a high place among singers. Rev. Mr. Chisholm, although comparatively a new comer, has already made himself popular in Scotch recitations, or more properly speaking, "character sketches." Mr. Kinnaird (tenor) needs no recommendation in Victoria, Mr. G. F. Watson has always been welcome upon programmes of Scottish music, and lastly Mr. J. G. Brown, whose interpretations of Scottish songs have been most acceptably received, not alone on the Pacific Coast, but Eastward as far as Port Arthur. The programme for Tuesday is an exceedingly well arranged one, and the attendance will no doubt be large.

THE sale of seats for the Calhoun Opera Company will open at Jamieson's bookstore to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THE funeral of the late William Scott takes place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the hall of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, of which he was a member.

THE matrimonial difficulties of a family in Victoria West, briefly referred to in the COLONIST of Thursday, will shortly be ventilated in the courts, probably in an action for divorce.

FRED. SLEITZ, a pioneer resident of Sooke, who has been in great destitution recently, will to-morrow be brought into the city and provided with comfortable quarters at the Old Men's Home.

GEORGE L. BROWN, committed for trial for writing a threatening letter to Dr. Hanington, of this city, has asked for a summary disposal of his case under the Speedy Trials Act.

THE tenants of the Fairfield farm have been much annoyed lately by pot-hunters shooting hen pheasants. Now they have begun on the poultry, and the owners of the latter thinks it time the police took a hand in the game. The shooting is within the city.

THE Sunday school of the Metropolitan Methodist church will hold its anniversary services at 1 a.m. and 7 p.m. to day with appropriate sermons from the pastor, Rev. S. Cleaver, M.A., and special singing by the children of the school, under the direction of Mr. Parfitt.

ALD. WILSON has bulletined a resolution for submission to the Council at to-morrow's meeting, asking for a return of all delinquent taxpayers. He has also a motion on the board for the extension of the sewerage system as follows: On Douglas street, from Cormorant to Humboldt; on Humboldt street, from Douglas to Government; on Wharf street, from Government to Johnson; on Johnson street, from Wharf to Store; on Store street from Johnson to Cormorant; on Cormorant street, from Store to Douglas.

THE regular weekly meeting of the Sir William Wallace Society was held last evening, Second Chieftain A. Hay in the chair. There was the usual programme of Scottish music. Songs were given by Messrs. Glenn, Grieve, Munro, Paterson, Maclean and Muir. Pipe selections were played by Messrs. Glenn, Munro, Smith and Macdonald. Mr. Anderson danced the sailor's hornpipe. Mr. Smith read a paper on Gaelic. Next Friday night Dr. Campbell will deliver a lecture to the members and friends on "Robert Burns. On the Friday following Mr. Tait will resume his lecture on Scottish History, and Mr. Chisholm will lecture on "Scottish Literature."

IN further explanation of the telegram of the 7th instant, received on that date by Collector Milne and published in the COLONIST the following morning, the Collector has received the following letter from Mr. William Smith, deputy minister of marine and fisheries, dated at Ottawa, January 10: "In confirming the telegram of the 7th inst., announcing that Her Majesty's Government had agreed with Russia for the renewal of the modus vivendi, in the matter of the Behring Sea seal fishery, I am to state that this applies wholly to the provisional agreement entered into with Russia in 1893, for protective zones of 30 miles around the Russian seal islands, and 10 miles around Russian shores."

AN excellent wall map of British North America and the northern half of the United States has just been issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, covering its immense system and connections, including the lines of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie and Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railways. It is one of the most complete maps ever issued by a railway company, and is geographically accurate. As a work of art it is alike creditable to the publishers and company. It is printed in five colors. Every station on the road is shown, besides the steamship routes on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. The map would ornament any office, and as a reference is invaluable.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Comox and signing himself "Farmer" advocates the establishment of a creamery at or near Comox. "Where is there," he asks, "a better place for the establishment and operation of a creamery than in the compact Comox valley with 800 cows within a radius of three and a half miles? The people are tired of begging grocers to take their butter and being told that it pays better to handle Eastern creamery product at a higher figure. No doubt a creamery could turn out a more uniformly satisfactory article than each little independent dairy. A site could be got without any trouble—probably free. Who, understanding the business, will take hold of it?"

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Blacksmiths and carriage builders will have an opportunity to-morrow morning of replenishing their stock and, at the same time, save freight and other charges on the goods by attending Mr. Geo. Byrnes' sale at the premises next the Transfer stables. There is to be put under the hammer a large stock of material for both the businesses mentioned, and some bargains are expected. *

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A LUCKY DROP GOAL

Wins for the Nanaimo Hornets—The Football Championship.

Other Sporting Events of Yesterday—A Broken Leg at Westminster.

"Four points to three in favor of Nanaimo." Such was the result of the intercity match yesterday at Beacon Hill, between Victoria and Nanaimo, and an exciting game at that too. From start to finish the interest of the spectators was kept at fever heat, and not till time was called did their excitement for one moment lag. By a stroke of good luck in scoring a drop goal, the Coal City boys came out on top, although it cannot be said they did not deserve it. On the other hand, the local team, in their new crimson jerseys played a magnificent game, the best, without doubt, they have played this season, and it was chiefly through their opponents good fortune that they were vanquished. Mr. Billinghurst, the referee, also deserves mention for the impartiality of his rulings, which added materially to the enjoyment of the game. The following is a brief account of the match.

First Half.

Victoria having won the toss, Capt. Jones elected to kick with the light wind and the sun behind their backs. The game was commenced at about 3:20 p.m., Capt. Lister kicking off for Nanaimo. Crease returned at the 35-yard line. The Nanaimo forwards worked the ball to Victoria's 25, and Petticrew relieved with a kick to the half-way flag. Here, from a scrum, Smith and Ward made a splendid dribble down field almost to Nanaimo's goal line, where Reilly saved by falling on the ball. The Nanaimo forwards took it to the half-way line. From a scrum the ball came out to Smith, who passed to Haines. The latter player transferred to Foulkes, but he was forced back about 10 yards before he got off. Here some good play by Bamford and Neens took the oval to Victoria's 35 yard line, but Smith secured the ball and sent it to Haines, who passed to Foulkes, the latter player making a fine run and being thrown into touch 10 yards from the line. The Victoria forwards lined up quickly and from the throw in Sidey secured the leather and dashed over the line at the corner post, with two Nanaimo men on his back, amid vociferous cheering. Warden made a very good attempt at goal; Bamford kicked out, and Smith returned. Play hovered round the centre until the Nanaimo forwards, breaking through the scrum, headed by Duffie, Thompson and Hilton, made a grand dribble to Victoria's 25, where Petticrew relieved by a well directed kick. Gibson, Langley and Fraser made a grand rush down field with the ball at their feet, but Reilly was on hand. Crease and Haines made a couple of dodgy runs, and the play resolved itself to the centre. Barker, Cheatwood and Lister assisted with a clever dribble, but Smith kicked well down the field. Jones, Fraser and Hibben came along nicely with the ball at their feet. Dixon and Bamford relieved with well judged kicks. From a throw in at Victoria's 35 Cheatwood got off and was well on his way to the goal line, when he was effectively stopped by Jones. Here Nanaimo worked the leather over the line, and Petticrew forced down. Scrums now became rampant, and nothing special was noticed except a good run by Crease and the splendid work of the halves, Smith, Ward and Neens. Nanaimo now began to look dangerous again, the ball being within 15 yards of the goal line. The oval came out of a scrum to Webster, who quickly placed it over the bar for Nanaimo. Half time was called immediately after. Score: Nanaimo, 4; Victoria, 3.

Second Half.

Warden kicked off for Victoria and Dixon returned. An off side gave Foulkes a free kick, and he sent the ball into touch-in Nanaimo's 25. Victoria looked like scoring, Reilly being held (3 yards) from Nanaimo's line by Haines, before he could secure his kick, Nanaimo assisted by Barker, Edmonds and J. Neens rushed the ball back to Victoria's 25. Ward sent it down to the half-way post. Foulkes made a good run and Smith two splendid screw kicks. Webster returned the leather to the centre, and Petticrew punted to Nanaimo's 25 Webster relieved his side and Langley made a good run. Jones, assisted with a 20 yard's dribble, with Gibson and Sullivan in the van. The play was now in Victoria territory, and a splendid rush from Ward, Fraser, Wollaston and Langley took the ball out of danger. It came back again, however, with Thompson, Woodburn and Cheatwood in another rush. Sidey secured it, made a clever run and passed to Ward, who was effectively collared by Bamford. Nanaimo worked the ball back to the Victoria fifteen-yard line, and here began the struggle of the day. For ten minutes did the ball remain in that territory, neither side being able to budge it three yards. Once Foulkes got it from a throw in and forced down, but the referee would not allow it, and ordered a scrum in the original spot. Not until Gibson, breaking through the scrum with the ball at his feet, followed by Smith, Ward, Wollaston and others, did the local team's admirers breathe a sigh of relief. Reilly stopped the rush at the fifty yards post. The last ten minutes of the second half consisted principally of scrums, and time was called with play in neutral territory.

VANCOUVER'S MATCH.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Rugby football match, Westminster vs. Vancouver to-day, was played in glorious weather and on a perfect ground. The teams were very evenly matched until English, of Westminster, had his ankle broken, when the home team was obliged to play one man short, and the visitors had a slight advantage. After a capital exhibition of the good old game Vancouver won by one goal and a try to one goal.

VICTORIA COLLEGE V. VICTORIA F. B. C.

Yesterday afternoon, at Beacon Hill, the College met and defeated an eleven of the Victoria Association Football club. The ground was in a very bad condition after the frost, but a very even and enjoyable game resulted. The College forwards, especially G. Wilson aud Marpole, played their usual good combination and puzzled the back division of the club, but the shooting was wide. The Goward brothers and Allan also made some good rushes, but Erb, Rithet and A. Goward managed to prevent their scoring till near the end of the game, when a fast shot beat the goal-keeper. G. Wilson scored twice for the College, so a pleasant game ended in a win for the boys by two goals to one.

COLLEGE JUNIORS V. CHOIR.

Yesterday morning the Victoria College Juniors played the boys of Christ Church Cathedral Choir. The College forwards had evidently studied the play of the seniors, and the passing of D. Hunter and J. Lawson was wonderfully clean and neat. The College won by four goals to nil, though Berkeley, Norton, Taylor and Nesbit did their best to make the game interesting.

THE STANES.

THE BIG BONSPEIL.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 20.—The contest for the Jobbers' Union tankard, the big trophy of the bonspiel of the Northwest Curling Association, has narrowed down to eight rinks, three from Winnipeg, two from Morden, Man., two from St. Paul, and one from Cabria, Wis. These rinks will begin playing off for the trophy to-morrow morning. The contest for the George F. Hall trophy was continued to-day without a decision having been reached. The big international contest for the Walkerville tankard, between twelve Canadian and twelve American rinks, was begun at 2 o'clock this afternoon. It proved of absorbing interest. At midnight eleven of the twelve clubs on each side had completed their work, and the score was 150 to 140 in favor of the Canadians.

YACHTING.

QUEBEC, Jan. 20.—An important decision to yachtsmen was rendered by Judge Irvine in the vice-admiralty court yesterday, in the case of Ray v. Landry, arising out of a collision between the yachts Barnadotte, owned by Senator Landry, and the yacht Muriel, owned by Walter Ray, both of the Quebec yacht club, during the race for the Ritchie-Gilmour cup, in July, 1893. His honor held that although the Bernadotte was in the wrong in running into the Muriel, the latter was also acting against the rules of the club by being in the race at all. She had a professional crew on board at the time, while the race was for amateurs. Both vessels were therefore declared to be in fault, and the damages and costs ordered to be assessed and divided between them.

THE SCHOONER "MINNIE."

Opening of Proceedings in the Suit for the Condemnation of This Well Known Victoria Sealer.

The case of the Crown against the ship Minnie, an action for the condemnation of Captain Victor Jacobson's well-known sealing schooner for violation of the Anglo-Russian prohibitive zone agreement, was commenced yesterday in the Admiralty court before Mr. Justice Crease, acting judge in Admiralty. Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C., appeared for the Crown; Mr. A. L. Belyea for the defence. When the court adjourned till Monday morning at 10 o'clock the Crown case had just been closed, and on Monday the defence will be begun. Hon. Mr. Pooley, in opening, read the statement of claim and statement of defence, showing what denials and admissions had been made. The defendant admitted having been seized by the Russian transport ship Yackout, on July 17, 1893, but denied that the Minnie had been within twenty-two miles of the Copper Islands, as claimed, alleging that according to her reckoning she was at least fifty miles from shore. There was also a denial as to the number of sealskins on board, the defence admitting only one, and alleging that at the time of the seizure the Russian officers were asked to make an inspection for themselves, which they declined to do. It was also claimed in defence that the Minnie was not *ordered* to Yokohama, as alleged, but that the Russians merely proposed that she leave the waters she was in and go to Yokohama. Collector of Customs Milne was called for the Crown to prove the register of the ship and her time of sailing from the port of Victoria. Captain Clive Phillips Woolley, who was called as an interpreter of the Russian protocol, produced a "passed" certificate, showing him to be an official interpreter for the Royal Navy. His translation of the protocol was remarked upon by Mr. Belyea and by the Court as an excellent one, but in one or two places there were Russian words used which had a variety of shades of meaning. The Russian word translated "ordered" was shown by the log of the Minnie to have been translated by the Russian officers themselves as proposed, and Captain Woolley also suggested "recommended" as a good meaning. The protocol was then put in evidence, subject to an objection raised by Mr. Belyea and strongly argued by him that it was not such a document as should be admitted in compliance with the "North Pacific (Behring Sea) Act, 1893," and the Order-in-Council based thereon, by reason of its not showing either in the signature or in the body that it was signed by the officer commanding the particular warship which made the seizure, as is required by the statute in order to make it *prima facie* evidence and throw the *onus probandi* on the defendant. The protocol was, however, admitted in evidence, the objection being formally noted. Capt. Harry Francis Hughes-Hallett, of H.M.S. Garnet, was called to prove a chart showing that if the Minnie were in the latitude and longitude laid down in the protocol she would be twenty-two miles from land, and thus within the thirty mile limit. Cross-examined by Mr. Belyea, Capt. Hallett stated that he had taken North with him on the Garnet a number of official letters from the Collector of Customs at the port of Victoria, directed to the various sealing schooners. These letters, which contained notice of the treaty, he had given to Capt. Bissett, of the schooner Annie E. Paint, by whom he had afterwards been informed that the Minnie's notice had not been delivered, but was returned to the Post Office at Victoria. The Court will sit again at 10 a.m. on Monday.

AH LOI, Ah Kee, Ah Chung and Chung Wah were in the City Police court yesterday morning charged with violating the Health by-law by overcrowding their sleeping premises. Chung Wah escaped on an insufficiency of evidence; each of the others was convicted and fined $12, with $6 costs, or an alternative of six months' imprisonment.

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20 yds. Fast Color Print for $1.00
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Now that the rush is over after the Holidays we have time to sort out certain lines which we are prepared to clear out reasonable; never mind about cost.

BRACES Do you want the best Brace ever sold for 25c. We have it, 25c.

HANDKERCHIEFS A good article, fair size, White Lawn, 5c. each, or 50c. a dozen. We have them in colors, larger, at 10c., 3 for 25c.

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where I intend carrying on a General Horseshoeing Business.
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Victoria, B.C., Jan. 18, 1894. ja19-3t

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SECRET SOCIETIES.

The Pythian Grand Chancellor's Successful Tour of the Province Closed.

Proceedings of the Week Among the Mystic and Benevolent Fraternities.

UNION, Jan. 19. — Grand Chancellor H. J. Anstie, accompanied by the Past Grand Chancellor and other members of the Pythian Grand lodge, paid an official visit to Benevolence lodge, No. 14, last evening, and were received with becoming honor. During the special session which was held in honor of his visit, the Grand Chancellor spoke in glowing terms of the future of Pythianism and expressed himself well-satisfied with the standing of the order in this district. After other members of the Grand body had spoken in a similar strain, an adjournment was made to the Cumberland hotel, where, after discussing the excellent repast provided by mine Host Lindsay, the following toast list was drunk, interspersed with songs and recitations:

"The Queen," "The Grand Lodge," responded to by G. C. Anstie and also by K. of R. and S., W. Leighton; "The Learned Professions," responded to by Dr. Shorsmidt, P. C.; "The Uniform Rank," responded to by G. C. Capt. Anstie; "The Press," replied to by Messrs. McLean and Nicholls; "This Canada of Ours," Messrs. McKim and Barrett; "Our Guests," P. G. C. Crossan and G. C. Anstie; "The Ladies," responded to by P. C. Stewart; "Benevolence Lodge," P. C. Nicholls, C. C. Struthers and V. C. Campbell; "Absent and departed Brethren," with which was coupled: "Success to Bro. Nicholls," to which the latter responded; "Sister Lodges and Kindred Societies. The company dispersed after singing "Auld Lang Syne." The Grand Chancellor and party left to-day on the "Joan."

DUNCAN, Jan. 20.—On Monday evening last the members of Maple lodge No. 15, K. of P., at Duncan held a special convention to receive Grand Chancellor Anstie, of Vancouver, who, accompanied by Grand Vice Byrne, paid an official visit of inspection to this lodge. The occasion was taken advantage of for the installation of the recently elected officers for the current term. The grand chancellor and his vice were met at the station on their arrival, and duly cared for throughout the day. At 7 p.m. they were entertained at supper at the Quamichan hotel by a number of the members residing in the vicinity, Brother Dickie catering for the party in his excellent style. The retiring Chancellor Commander Tanzey occupied the chair, with Dr. Watson, his newly elected successor, as vice, supported by Brothers Lomas, W. P. Jaynes, I. Evans, Bell, and others. At 8:30 p. m., despite the bad weather, the lodge assembled at their Castle hall, and after the formal reception of the visiting Grand Officers, the G. C. proceeded to instal as follows: Chancellor Commander, Dr. Watson; Vice-Chancellor, W. P. Jaynes; Prelate, Brother Robinson; Master of Exchequer, H. Fry; Keeper of Records and Seal, Brother Bell; Master of the Work, Brother Tanzey; Master of Finance, I. Evans; Master-at-Arms, Brother A. C. Aitken, with Brother Whiddon and Dr. Thorndyke as Inner and Outer Guards.

The Grand Chancellor in an interesting and instructive address complimented the lodge on their progress and efficiency. The newly installed officers having assumed their respective stations, responded in appropriate terms, and after a hearty vote of thanks to the visitors, the business was brought to a close.

COMOX, Jan. 18.—A grand ball was given on Wednesday evening by the Comox lodge, K. of P., on the occasion of the visit of Grand Chancellor Anstie to this district. A large number of Knights, with their wives and sweethearts, drove over from Union, and were highly satisfied with the outing.

NANAIMO, Jan. 19.—Last evening the members of Myrtle and Nanaimo lodges, Knights of Pythias, entertained Grand Chancellor H. J. Anstie at a banquet at the Palace Hotel. The banquet was well attended and a thoroughly good time was spent, the gathering not separating until the early hours.

I. O. O. F.

Acme lodge No. 14, I.O.O.F., held their regular meeting on Monday evening at Castle hall, Broad street. The officers were installed for the ensuing term by P.G.M. H. Waller. A list of the officers has already appeared. There will be work in the first and second degree to-morrow evening, when a full attendance is requested. A hearty welcome is extended to visiting brethren.

UNION, Jan. 18 -- Grand Master James Crossan duly installed the officers elect of Union lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F., on Wednesday evening. There was a crowded attendance from the various lodges in the district. After installation proceedings, the company adjourned to the Cumberland hotel for the good things, collectively called supper, provided by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lindsay. The usual programme of songs, recitations, toasts, etc, was rendered by the members of the lodge and visiting brethren, who spent a very pleasant evening.

C. O. O. F.

Fernwood lodge, Spring Ridge, held its regular meeting Friday evening. In the routine of business applications for membership were received and candidates balloted for. The delegates at the late district meeting at Nanaimo gave a very interesting account of the proceedings, and assured the lodge that the work accomplished would be of the greatest importance to the Order in this Province. A very important communication was read from the Grand Secretary of the Grand lodge of Canada, notifying lodges in this Province that the compulsory assurance clauses were suspended until next Grand lodge meeting. In consequence of this a great increase in membership is expected. Bro. Dr. Ernest Hall gave the first of a series of lectures on "First Aid," which was listened to with much interest. The next lecture will be given on February 2, to which brethren and visiting brethren are cordially invited.

D. O. E. B. S.

The above society held their regular meeting on Friday night last. After the usual routine business the lodge adjourned and a very enjoyable time was spent for the remainder of the evening, several of the members contributing songs and recitations, Sisters Pierce and Wolffe furnishing the instrumental music. A good attendance is requested at the next meeting, as business of importance will be brought before the lodge.

Y. M. L.

The Young Men's Institute is making preparations to welcome home the Grand Vice-President on the 29th inst.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Municipal Nominations—Jewelry Store Robberies—"La Minerve's" Bitter Attack on Father Chiniquy.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20 —(Special)—The civic nominations were held to-day, the mayoralty fight being between Hon. James McShane and J. O. Villeneuve, M.P.P. This issue is the claim made that it is the turn of the French to have the mayoralty. Out of twenty-six aldermen, nine were elected by acclamation.

The robbing of jewelry stores seems to be an epidemic. The third instance occurred last night when the plate glass window of Lavigne's store, upper St. Lawrence main street, was smashed with a sleigh bolt and $400 worth of the contents of the window carried off.

La Minerve, in connection with Papineau's change of creed, makes a bitter attack upon Rev. Dr. Chiniquy, the ex-priest, in whose life, it says, it can only find one meritorious action—his work on behalf of Temperance.

THE SEASON OF OPERA.

Return of the Calhouns in a Choice and Melodious Repertoire.

The "Black Hussar" and Its Attractions—Old Favorites and New Faces.

The Calhoun Opera company this week return to the scene of their last year's triumphs at The Victoria, the programme for the engagement being:

Thursday evening—The Black Hussar.
Friday evening—The Bohemian Girl.
Saturday matinee—The Mikado.
Saturday evening—The Princess of Trebizonde.

Of the opening bill the Portland Oregonian has the following, which is heartily endorsed by the press of Seattle, Tacoma and other cities where the company has appeared:

"Milloecker's 'Black Hussar' as a musical composition is considerably superior to the average opera bouffe of to-day, abounding as it does in surprising although pleasing harmonic effects in the modulation of which much originality is displayed. As a consequence the piece is stronger in its concerted numbers than in solo.

"It is safe to say that a better chorus than that which accompanies the Calhoun Company has seldom been brought to this city. All through, their work was extremely well balanced, and their handling of the crescendo showed thorough training. Their resolution of the seventh in the choral which follows the entrance of the "Black Hussar" in priestly disguise was excellent.

"The trios and quartettes were all well rendered and received generous applause. A number deserving especial mention was the quartette by Douglas Flint and Schuster and the Misses Laura Clement and Julie.

"In his solo Mr. Lyding showed a voice of considerable strength and clearness, which, however, was somewhat off the key. Douglas Flint as Hackenback was exceedingly droll. Laura Clement is not given great opportunities in this opera, but her tones were easily discernible in the concerted parts, and were liquid and sweet. The opera is staged in a manner befitting such an important production."

The opera of the "Black Hussar" is full of most charming music, arias, duets, trios and concerted pieces that afford excellent opportunities for the display of all the good voices. There is a delightful waltz refrain running through the score that is most tuneful and catchy. In Seattle every selection was heartily encored. Aside from the excellent music many novelties are introduced in the opera which enhance the pleasure of the entertainment, sabot or wooden shoe song and dance by eight young ladies in the third act is quite a feature, especially to the old tune made so familiar by Joe Jefferson, "Zum Lauterbach hab ich mein strumpf ferloren." Another feature is the Hussar march by the ladies of the chorus; and still another, the skirt dancing of the Brace sisters. These are only side issues to the main attractions; the scenery and costumes form no small part of the brilliant attraction, and every act closes with an effective tableau. The transformation scene, which brings to an end the entertainment, "Germania Watching the Rhine," proves a telling tableau, and moves to loud huzzas many a German in the audiences. The comedy element runs through the entire piece, and the fun and the music are so closely interwoven that nothing ever becomes tiresome.

The majority of the principals are already established favorites here. Miss Laura Clement is the prima donna, with a clear soprano of wide range and exceptional purity; Miss Julie Calhoun has materially improved since last season, her voice being firmer and stronger. The new tenor, Mr. George Lyding, possesses all the leading qualities for a successful tenor. He is handsome, young and has a clear, rich voice, with strength enough to be very prominent when singing in duos, trios or quartettes. Mr. William Schuster shares the honors, his rich, sweet baritone voice being heard to great advantage. The life of the company is Douglas A. Flint, the genial, jolly, fat comedian, whose every movement is funny, and who adds to his humor the pleasure of a rich, bass voice, as clear as it is sonorous Kirtland Calhoun makes an excellent foil for Douglas Flint, and Mr. Sylvester Cornish also adds largely to the comedy element.

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all others, having cured severe cases which were thought incurable.

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TO LET—Three 5-roomed cottages, bathrooms; Bridge street; $13 50; water paid. One 6 roomed house, Victoria West; good situation; $12; water paid. Six-roomed cottage, Menzies street, James Bay; $16; water paid. Nine-roomed house, Superior street, James Bay; $20; water paid. Five roomed cottage and stable, Alfred street, near Cook and Pandora; $10; water paid. One 5-roomed house, John street; $10; water paid. Four-roomed cottage, John street; $7; water paid. Swinerton & Oddy, 108 Government street, up-stairs. Place your houses to let on our list, as we often have enquirers we cannot suit. de2

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1893

ASSETS.

SINKING FUNDS.

Water Works Loan By-law, 1873	$ 61,226 25	
Water Works Amendment Act, 1875	44,600 15	
Water Works Loan By-law, 1877	10,516 20	
Corp'a'tion loan By-law, '78	13,480 25	
Public Lighting By-law, 1885	5,380 35	
Drainage By-law, 1885	1,634 70	
Water Works By-law, 1886	12,193 60	
Streetsand Bridge By-law, 1886	3,463 60	
Johnson Street Sewer By-law, 1888	2,146 20	
Water Works By-law, 1888	1,434 45	
Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-law, 1889	3,901,40	
Water Works $70,000 By-law, 1889	6,059 85	
Water Works $60,000 By-law, 1889	5,198 40	
Pleasure Grounds By-law, 1889	2,164 25	
Fire Department By-law, 1889	1,275 25	
Flour Mill Bonus By-law, 1889	1,168 51	
City Hall Addition By-law, 1890	3,120 42	
Cemetery By-law, 1890	1,113 25	
Sewerage By-law, 1890	8,321 10	
Public Market Site By-law, 1890	1,218 35	
Public Market Building By-law, 1890	1,525 32	
Crematory Bylaw, 1890	657 51	
Agricultural Association By-law, 1891	1,404 80	
Loan, City of Victoria Act, 1892	6,800 60	
Street Loan By-law, 1892	164 95	
Surface Drains By-law, 1893	1,257 90	
Educational Loan By-law, 1893	377 60	
		$201,915 21
City of Victoria Act, 1892, debentures on hand		6,000 00
Municipal Taxes and Fees Outstanding—		
Land and Improvement tax	46,518 8	
Board of Health special rate	11,919 62	
Trades' licenses	1,575 00	
Fire insurance tax	1,025 00	
Water rents and rates	10,072 91	
Market rents, etc	328 20	
Liquor Licenses	100 00	
Cemetery fees	52 50	
		71,592 08
B.C. Land & Investment Agency— Loan, City of Victoria Act		370 96
B.C. Corporation, Ld.— Crematory loan		10,513 86
J. Gosnell		59 98
Bank of B.N.A.—		
General account	2,437 08	
Sewerage Loan By-law, 1891	35 85	
Sewerage Loan By-law, 1891, Deposit account	54 35	
Educational Loan By-law, 1893	45,272 66	
Contract deposit account	5,480 91	
Surface Drains Loan By-law, 1893	58 371 06	
Board of Health fund	18,513 44	
		130,106 35
Cash on hand		3,015 96
Corporation of the City of Victoria, being excess of liabilities over assets		1,298,248 97
		$1,721 912 37

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
Victoria, B.C., January 5, 1894.

LIABILITIES.

LOANS.

Water Works, 1873	$ 92,500 00	
Water Works, 1875	50,000 00	
Water Works, 1877	20,000 00	
Corporation, 1878	20,000 00	
Public lighting, 1885	16,000 00	
Drainage, 1885	5,000 00	
Water Works, 1886	75,000 00	
Streets and bridge, 1886	50 000 00	
Water Works, $70 000, 1889	70,000 00	
Water Works, $60,000, 1889	60,000 00	
Johnson street sewer, 1888	30,000 00	
Water Works, 1888	20,000 00	
Pleasure grounds, 1889	25,000 00	
Fire department, 1889	15,000 00	
Streets, bridges and cemetery, 1889	45,000 00	
Flour mill bonus, 1889	10,000 00	
City Hall addition, 1890	35,000 00	
Cemetery, 1890	12,500 00	
Sewerage, 1890	300 000 00	
Public Market site, 1890	45,000 00	
Public Market building, 1890	55,000 00	
Crematory 1890	10,000 00	
Agricultural Association, 1891	25,000 00	
City of Victoria Act, 1892	188,000 00	
Street loan, 1892	25,000 00	
Surface drains, 1893	125,000 00	
Educational, 1893	85,000 00	
		$1,509,000 00
Deposits for use of streets		190 00
Contract deposit account		5,480 91
Bank of B.N.America—		
City of Victoria Act, 1892		6,458 13
Water Works current account		165,146 58
Interest coupons not presented		1,172 50
Unfinished contracts—		
Board of Health	1,254 00	
Surface drains	31,284 25	
Contracts let for sidewalks, street crossings and signs, and fire engine repairs	1,926 00	
		34,464 25
		$1,721,912 37

CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

Receipts and Expenditure, 1893

RECEIPTS,

From 1st January to 31st December, 1893.

Cash on hand January 1, 1893	$ 63 35
Balance at Bank of British North America January 1, 1893	1,375 35
Land and Improvement Tax	186,910 58
Water Rents and Rates	54,041 27
Trades Licenses	20,527 35
Liquor Licenses	18 840 00
Revenue Tax	13,332 00
Fire Insurance Co's Tax	10,125 00
Police Court Fines and Fees	4,584 50
Road Tax	3,634 60
Cemetery Fees	3,073 00
Dog Tax	488 70
Pound Fees	511 00
Provincial Government Refund under Section 199, Municipal Act 1892	1,256 26
Provincial Government in aid of Fire Department	250 00
Provincial Government Education per capita Grant (six months)	8 099 84
Market Rents and Fees	2.188 10
Interest from Investment of Sinking Funds	6,865 73
Interest on Contract Deposit Account	266 55
Miscellaneous Receipts	2,701 30
	$339.198 88
Board of Health Fund	65,608 87
Interest on Board of Health Fund	63 90
	$404,871 65

City Hall, January 4, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
Certified correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

EXPENDITURE.

Summary of Expenditure from 1 January to 31 December, 1893.

I. City Debt	$112,778 71	
II. Municipal Council	5,258 12	
III. Civic Salaries	74,300 76	
IV. City Institutions, (maintenance)	47,941 14	
V. Buildings and Surveys	9,101 49	
VI. Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks	26,110 04	
VII. Miscellaneous	25,282 45	
VIII Education	32,746 87	
		333 519 58
IX. Board of Health, special fund		47,159 33
		$380,678 91

City Hall, 4 January, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.
Certified correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

DETAILED EXPENDITURE.

Statement Showing the Expenditure for 1893 as Brought to Account in the Treasury of the City of Victoria from January 1 to December 31, 1893.

I. CITY DEBT—

Interest on Debentures	$ 76,102 90	
Interest under Annual Loan By-law, 1893	2,169 17	
		$ 78,272 07
Payments to Sinking Funds	$ 27,379 48	
Interest accrued from the investment of Sinking Funds	6,865 73	
		34,245 21
Brokerage and Exchange		261 43
		$112,778 71

II. MUNICIPAL COUNCIL—

The Mayor	$ 2 000 00
The Aldermen	3,258 12
	$ 5,258 12

III. CIVIC SALARIES—

Treasurer's office	4,580 00
City Clerk's office	3 104 73
Assessor's office	2,760 00
Janitor	780 00
Temporary assistance—all Departments	505 50
Water Works	4,920 00
Public Works	11,478 25
Cemetery	1,109 00
Park	810 00
Police	23,230 85
Fire Department	13,117 43
Library	780 00
Pound	915 00
Home for the Aged and Infirm	600 00
Public Market	960 00
Street Lighting	4,620 00
	$ 74,300 76

IV. CITY INSTITUTIONS (MAINTENANCE)—

Water Works	$ 16,124 85
Cemetery	282 97
Pound	94 95
Park	660 13
Police	4,999 80
Fire Department	6,938 55
Library	177 85
Street Lighting	6,744 77
Home for Aged and Infirm	3,227 68
Public Market	369 35
Sewerage	5,969 30
Sewerage Flush Tanks	2,350 94
	$ 47,941 14

V. BUILDINGS AND SURVEYS—

City Hall Repairs	$ 408 64
Market Property	282 20
Fire Halls	299 12
Electric Light Building	35 00
Furniture	175 91
Defining Streets and City Boundaries	457 35
City Hall Addition	5,979 27
Ross Bay House Repairs	1,464 00
	$ 9,101 49

VI. STREETS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS—

For all purposes	$ 26,110 04

VII. MISCELLANEOUS—

Election Expenses	$ 998 71
Advertising and Printing	5,076 01
Stationery	907 35
Postage	287 45
Telegrams	56 75
Telephone Service	1,261 20
Fuel and Light	2,068 30
Carriage and Express Hire	161 50
Fire Insurance	1,297 00
Legal Advisers Annual Retaining Fee	500 00
Legal Expenses	1,473 5
Refunds	492 93
Charitable Aid Fund	561 50
Fund to Aid Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital	2,000 00
Celebration of Queen's Birthday	1,000 00
Preliminary Expenses Local Improvement By-Law	121 25
Victoria City Official Map Act	776 50
Commission on Revenue Collections	1,270 48
B C. Agricultural Association Grant in Aid of an Exhibition to be Held in 1893, at or Adjoining to the City	3,000 00
Miscellaneous not Detailed	1,972 02
	$ 25,282 45

VIII. EDUCATION—

Amount Payable to Provincial Government to 30th June, 1893	$ 7,800 59
Board of School Trustees	9,536 28
Teachers' Salaries 1st July to 31st December, 1893	15,410 00
	$ 32 746 87

IX. BOARD OF HEALTH—

Salaries	$ 3,223 26
T. F. Sinclair Contract for Removal of Garbage	8,395 00
Darcy Island Station for Lepers	577 91
Sub-Sections 51-5, Section 25, Victoria District	9,350 00
Isolation Hospital Buildings, Furniture, Fencing, Hydrant, Clearing Land, Grading, &c	19,056 28
Sanitary Office	850 00
For all other Purposes	5,706 88
	$ 47,159 33

Details of Miscellaneous Receipts in Revenue Return.

Street Lines, Grades		$105 00
Pensions from three Inmates of Home for Aged and Infirm		111 87
Rent of Land "A. C. Howe,"		75 00
Rent of Land W. M'Dowell		20 00
Darcy Island Lepers—		
Department of Agriculture	$1,000 00	
City of Vancouver	190 23	
Provincial Government	26 80	
		1,217 03
Sale of Catalogues, etc., "Library,"		30 00
T. Deasy, Sale of Horses		94 50
A. McBean, Damage to Streets		40 00
Mount Baker Hotel Co., for Lead and Fuse		146 00
Sale of Hay from Park		77 00
Sale of Tents to E. B. Marvin & Co.		382 50
Penalty under Sec. 71, Municipal Act, 1892—		
M. Miller	$50 00	
J. Baker	50 00	
A. Henderson	50 00	
		150 00
Corporate Seal		3 00
Searching Minutes		25
Scrap Iron sold Victoria Iron Works		36 10
Cash found on body of W. Dayell, deceased (buried at expense of city)		4 05
Wages due R. McDougall, deceased (buried at expense of city)		16 00
Drivers' Licenses		36 00
Registration of Vehicles		109 00
Plumbers' Licenses		5 25
Cash withdrawn from special deposit for "Home for the Aged,"		42 75
		$2,701 30

City Institutions (Maintenance)—Continued.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Crematory By-Law.

1893 Jan. 1—Balance on hand this date	$10,410 40	Paid interest on Coupons	$ 500 00
Accrued interest	633 46	Balance on hand 31st December, '93.	10,543 86
	$11,043 86		$11,043 86

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, 4th January, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1891.

1893. Jan. 1—Balance on hand this date	$18,804 46	Expenditure to 31st December, 1893	$19,714 37
Cash received under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892	668 99	Balance on hand 31st December, 1893	90 20
Accrued interest	331 12		
	$19,804 57		$19,804 57

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, 4th January, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892.

1893. Jan. 1—Balance on hand this date	$ 3,367 70	Expenditure to 31st Dec., 1893, under authority of Sub-Sec. A, Sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	$ 9,257 30
Accrued Interest	47 69	Expenditure to 31st Dec, 1893, under authority of Sub-Sec. C, Sec. 2, City of Victoria Act. 1892	81 06
Dec. 31—Balance due Bank of B. N. A.	6 458 13	Expenditure to 31st Dec., 1893, under authority of Sub Sec. E, Sec. 2, City of Victoria Act, 1892	133 20
		Balance on deposit, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Dec. 31, 1893	370 96
	$ 9,843 52		$ 9,843 52

Debentures to the amount of $6,000, bearing date 15th December, 1893, have been issued under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892, and are still in the hands of the City Treasurer.

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, 4th Jan., 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Street Loan By-Law, 1892.

1893. Jan. 1—Balance on hand this date	$ 12,222 77	Expenditure to 31st Dec., 1893	$ 12,287 12
Accrued Interest	64 35		
	$ 12,287 12		$ 12,287 12

Certified Correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, 4th Jan., 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Educational Loan By-Law, 1893.

Amount of bonds sold	$85,000 00	Discount on bonds	$ 667 19
Accrued interest	752 17	Expenditure to 31st December, 1893	39,812 32
		Balance on hand 31st December, 1893	45,272 66
	$85 752 17		$85 752 17

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, Jan. 4, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Surface Drains By-Law, 1893.

Amount of bonds sold	$125,000 00	Discount on bonds	$ 957 20
Pipe sold	52 74	Expenditure to 31st December, 1893	67,984 98
Accrued interest	2,260 50	Balance on hand 31st December, 1893	58,371 06
	$127,313 24		$127,313 24

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, Jan. 4, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

Balance Sheet, Broad Street Local Improvement, Dec. 31, 1893.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
B. C. Land Investment Agency	$ 1,091 92	Loan	$ 10,788 00
Bank B. N. America	358 73		
Corporation of Victoria being excess of liabilities over assets	9,337 35		
	$10 788 00		$10,788 00

Certified Correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
Victoria, B. C. January, 5, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

Broad Street Local Improvement Assessment By-Law, 1892.

Received from sale of debentures	$ 10,788 00	Discount on debentures	$ 417 78
" " assessments	2,510 12	Total cost of extension of Broad street from Pandora to Cormorant street	10,958 94
Accrued interest	73 65	Interest on debentures	514 40
		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1893	1,450 65
	$ 13,371 77		$ 13 371 77

Certified correct.
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.
City Hall, Jan. 4, 1894.
CHAS. KENT, Treasurer.

No. 218.

BY-LAW.

To expropriate certain real property for the purpose of diverting and improving a portion of Oak Bay Avenue, being a public street situate within the City of Victoria.

THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to expropriate and the said Corporation hereby expropriates, for the purpose of diverting and improving a portion of Oak Bay Avenue being a public street situate within the City of Victoria, all that piece or parcel of land being part of Lot 31 of a subdivision of sub-lot 1, Fernwood Estate, Section 75, Victoria District, which said piece or parcel of land is more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the south-east corner of lot 2 of said sub-division; thence southerly across lot 31 on a production of the line between lots 2 and 3, forty feet, more or less, to the north line of Oak Bay Avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Oak Bay Avenue fifty-three feet, more or less, to the south-west corner of said lot 2; thence north-easterly along the line between lots 2 and 31, twenty-nine feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, and containing by admeasurement five hundred and fifty-six square feet more or less.

2. It shall be lawful for the Corportion to enter upon, expropriate, break up, take or use the said property without the consent of the owner thereof, subject to the restrictions mentioned in sub-section (107) of section 104 of the "Municipal Act, 1892."

3. This by-law may be cited as "The Oak Bay Avenue Expropriation By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 20th day of December, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed by the Council, the 29th day of December, 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any section thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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CIVIL AND HYDRAULIC ENGINEERS
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G. A. Keefer, M.I.C.E. H. B. Smith, M.I.C.E

NOTICES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire on Thursday, the first day of February, 1894.

Private Bills must be presented on or before Thursday, the eighth day of February.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1894.

THORNTON FELL, Clerk of the House.
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Canadian Pacific Navigation Co'y, Limited. Seven Per Cent. Debentures.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the conditions upon which the above named debentures were issued, a drawing of the debentures to be paid off at par on the 15th day of February next, will take place at the Company's office, Wharf street, Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 11 a. m.

The numbers of the drawn debentures will be duly advertised for the information of the holders thereof.

F. W. VINCENT, Secretary.
Wharf St., Victoria, B. C., Jan. 12, 1894.
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The Nicola Valley Railway Company.

"NICOLA."

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

This company has secured a block of land near the junction of the Coldwater, and Nicola Rivers, for the purpose of a townsite, and so soon as the contract for the work of construction of this Railway is entered into it is proposed to lay out this land as a town, and place a portion of the lots upon the market.

The ONLY station in the vicinity of the junction of the Coldwater and Nicola Rivers will be placed within the boundaries of this block, and the town surrounding it will be called

"NICOLA."

J. W. McFARLAND, Secretary-Treasurer.
Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 27, 1893. de29-1m

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LOOKED LIKE A LILY.

MARY DERWENT DESCRIBES A FAIR ENGLISH BRIDE.

She Was Just Too Lovely For Anything—A Tailor Made Gown and a Mantle of Rare Beauty—Dancing Dresses and Walking Suits.

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NEARLY everybody goes out of London to their own or some one else's country seat for Christmas, and they prolong their stay well into January, and often beyond it, and really they do know how to enjoy their holiday. It is not like the decorous family dinner with a few chosen friends, but it is a general jollification, where old and young join and laugh, dance and play boisterous games. There are few Christmas trees, for the English have not taken kindly to the German idea, but that does not mean that people do not enjoy themselves quite as well and get just as many pretty presents. At a Christmas celebration in Merrie England you may see an earl or a duke down on his hands and knees making sport for the children, or a countess with her eyes blinded and her arms outstretched to catch whoever comes within reach.

After the holidays are over the weddings begin, and the bustle and delight of preparation for this most important ceremony is even greater than that for the holidays, for an English wedding has somehow a new element in it. There are several bridesmaids, nearly all sisters of bride or groom, and little brothers who look wonderfully pretty as ushers, and there is the best man, nearly always in love with the biggest bridesmaids. Then there are the grandmothers, dear old souls who take as much interest in the whole affair as if they were to be the brides themselves. There is none of that shrinking and almost hateful pretense of retirement that our families affect. Here every one has something to do or say to enhance the glory and grace of the important day, even to the servants and villagers, for all these great homes are near villages.

Some few have their gowns sent from Paris, but more from London, and they are always dainty and endowed with that delicate glamour that belongs to a wedding dress. The one I have in my mind at the moment was worn at the country seat of a certain noble English family day before yesterday, and the bride looked like a white lily as she stood to let us all admire her. Her gown was plain white faille, cut with a simplicity most admirable. There was quite a long train. In front were three tulle flounces

THE BRIDE AND HER LITTLE SISTER.

held by small bunches of orange buds. The sleeves were double puffs and the front portion reached to the wrists and were covered with long white mosquetaire gloves, which reached to the elbow.

Around the waist was a sort of belt of several thicknesses of tulle, fastened with a bunch of orange buds sent from the south of Spain. There was a full vest front of tulle, over silk and bretelles of silk cut in scallops and bordered with white silk buttonholing. At the neck and shoulders were three other small clusters of buds and two others in the hair, over which the light tulle veil was thrown. It would be difficult to fancy a daintier picture as she stood there, or than she afterward made in the dim old church against the background of the old carved wood in the altar. She was a point of light and beauty.

Her own little sister was her bridesmaid, and she wore a white dotted lace frock over a slip of baby blue silk. There were five rows of white lace insertion around the skirt. The waist was a plain surplice, with a row of insertion, the sleeves were double puffs, and around the waist, on the sleeves and shoulders were small blue upstanding bows. The hat of white felt was trimmed with baby blue satin bows, Alsatian style. The mother wore a royal purple velvet gown made with a princess front and a watteau back. The train was quite long, but not trimmed at all, the material being so rich that trimming would have detracted from it. The sleeves were made in two puffs, a fancy, by the way, usually preferred here to the graceless gigot. There were lilac gloves that reached the elbows, and a small toque bonnet of lilac velvet, white roses and two aigrets.

An aunt who was a dowager marchioness was there, and wore a gray satin brocade nearly covered with exquisite black lace, fastened up in different places under small pins made of rubies and diamonds. They were all exactly alike. It was a morning wedding, and in consequence all the ladies wore high dresses. Another handsome dress was that of a young American lady who has recently married into the ranks of British nobility, and she had an amber peau de soie dress, with the sleeves of elegant black lace over the satin. The bertha was woven expressly for that purpose, and there was a shawl drapery in front of the same pattern of lace and a bow and two long ends in the back falling over the demitrains of the same beautiful lace. Her bonnet was made of a little scrap of amber velvet and trimmed with pink roses and jet.

The grandmothers in this country do not generally dress with the same fine taste that characterizes the dressing of our own dear old ladies. They will wear low necked dresses long after the time for such a display has any raison d'etre. True they thereby show off the family jewels. And they wear fearfully ugly caps and nothing on earth would cause one to leave off those hideous things in favor of our dainty bits of lace and ribbon, crepe lisse and tiny blossoms.

To return to our young English ladies. It is true that their tailor gowns are rigid and beyond measure formal, but how they fit! It is as if there was some new fashioned loom that wove the goods around the slender waists of the wearers, for detect a seam you cannot. The tailor gowns of this winter are more often seen in black than in colors, and they are usually of a very heavy quality of broadcloth or melton. They also wear Priestley cheviot in diagonal wide wales. One very elegant redingote for a young lady had the waist cut to fit very closely and with deep flat collar and pointed revers. The front was double breasted and fastened with three bone buttons. The skirt to this garment was open both front and back, like a man's coat, and was cut half umbrella shape. The sleeves were gigot. The redingote was lined with black satin to the waist. The whole garment fitted like a glove, and from neck to feet there was not a wrinkle, naturally, except those in the gigot sleeves.

A lady came to visit and wore a mantle of such beauty that I must describe it. The garment was shaped like a bag, as far as the under portion went, which was sleeveless and hung straight down from the shoulder. It was of sealskin plush, and at each lower corner in front was a raised embroidery done in heavy saddler's silk of a golden brown color. The upper portion consisted of a round, full cape in the front, but in the back the cape lengthened down to the knees. This was of heavy corded silk in the same shade as the silk embroidery, and this cape was bordered with a narrow vine in sealskin brown all around in a raised pattern fully half an inch high. Below this there was a border of real sealskin. The collar was very high and flaring and stiffly embroidered in the same way. The whole was lined with gold colored satin, so that it made a rich and very sumptuous garment. With this wrap my lady wore a large poke of shaggy beaver in drab, with a mass of shaded brown plumes topping over the brim in every direction. It was a picturesque hat.

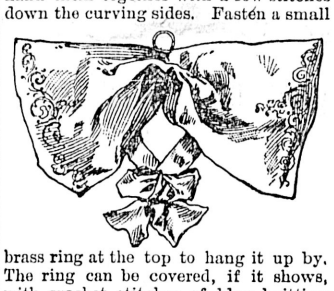
An English girl's wardrobe would not be complete without a habit or so. Those of this season seem to me to be a trifle less severe than they usually are. The buttons are often set on double breasted, and the sleeves have been made a little larger and looser at the top, while the skirts are long enough to quite cover the foot. English girls do not take kindly to tights, but continue to wear the bulky trousers. The alpine hats with one curling black cock's plume on the left side are seen now quite as often as the stiff and unbecoming derby or high hat. Several young ladies wear short frieze capes, which are very stylish. Colors for habits are mostly black, dark green, gray and brown. One rarely sees a blue one. Blue is the walking suit color preferred to all others, and the material is serge or cheviot.

For the delightful dances at home or at some neighboring country seat or the grand county balls there is no end to dainty new fancies in gowns for the young. The material best liked for the colored dancing dresses is striped algerian tissue, all in one color. There are several choices in fine black nets, some embroidered in colors, but most with spangles, which are very effective. The English do not like the Loie Fuller crapes and think them vulgar, but they do like the new courtauld crapes in colors.

MARY DERWENT.

For a Whisk Broom.

A piece of soft, plain blue silk and some ribbon to match, about 1½ inches wide, together with gold tinsel cord, are all the materials needed for this new whisk broom holder. Cut out of pasteboard two heart shaped pieces broad enough to hold a whisk broom, cutting the lower ends across straight, as if the lower third of the heart had been left off. Cover each on both sides with plain blue or white silesia or cambric, and overhand them together with a few stitches down the curving sides. Fasten a small



brass ring at the top to hang it up by. The ring can be covered, if it shows, with crochet stitches of blue knitting silk. Take a piece of the blue silk about 9 by 15 inches and hem the sides narrowly, the ends with an inch wide hem. With the gold tinsel outline an arabesque pattern across the ends and catch or shir the silk in the center, to have somewhat the appearance of a butterfly bow, fastening it on the heartshaped holder to nearly or quite cover it. Fasten two ends of ribbon to the lower part of the holder and let them cross and tie about three inches below the silk, to partially conceal the handle.

A. I. W.

LARDEAU

NORTHEAST ARM UPPER ARROW LAKE.

The Townsite Company have entered into a contract to build a wharf to deep water at lowest stage, at the foot of Victoria avenue. This will cost about $4000.

The C.P.R. Telegraph Company are building their through line from Revelstoke to Nelson, Nakusp and Kaslo via LARDEAU CITY, where the office for the Lardeau and Fish Creek Districts will be situated. It is expected that this line will be opened in a few weeks.

A Mining Recorder is stationed at LARDEAU—a convenience for the prospectors of this region. Many rich strikes have recently been made on Fish Creek, a few miles from LARDEAU. A steamer calls three times a week at LARDEAU.

The charter for the Lardeau & Kootenay Railroad has its commencement at LARDEAU CITY. This line will undoubtedly be built in the near future, as it is the only route to the famous Lardeau Mines on Trout Lake and the shortest and easiest pass to Kootenay Lake.

Prospectors and capitalists visiting the Lardeau Country will find the best Hotel Accommodation in West Kootenay at LARDEAU CITY. It is the entrance point to the Lardeau, Fish Creek and Duncan River Mines, and will save time, labor and money to prospectors who desire to visit these sections.

LARDEAU CITY has much in its favor. It is affected by the prevailing dullness at present, but its situation is such that it must become an important trading point, and grow into a considerable town.

Investors in West Kootenay should seek particulars about LARDEAU and the District tributary to it. Any information will be furnished upon application to the undersigned.

ROBT. IRVING, TRUSTEE,
VICTORIA, B.C.

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No 19,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday, October 12th, 1893. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily		No. 4 Pass'r. Sat.	Miles.	STATIONS.	Miles.	SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily		No. 3 Pass'r. Sat.
A.M.		P.M.				P.M.		P.M.
Do. 8.00	Do.	2.00		Victoria	1	Ar. 12.24	Ar.	5.30
" 8.04	"	2.04	1	Russell's	4	" 12.20	"	5.26
" 8.14	"	2.14	4	Esquimalt	11	" 12.10	"	5.16
" 8.39	"	2.39	11	Goldstream	20	" 11.45	"	4.51
" 9.14	"	3.10	20	Summit Siding	28	" 11.10	"	4.22
" 9.34	"	3.36	28	Shawnigan Lake	33	" 10.50	"	3.56
" 9.44	"	3.46	31	Cobble Hill	36	" 10.40	"	3.46
" 10.07	"	4.11	38	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	"	3.31
" 10.12	"	4.16	40	Kalsah	45	" 10.17	"	3.21
" 10.22	"	4.26	43	Duncan's	50	" 10.07	"	3.11
" 10.48	"	4.48	52	Somenos	59	" 9.36	"	2.44
" 11.09	"	5.05	59	Chemainus	65	" 9.15	"	2.26
Ar. 11.50		5.46	73	Oyster Bay Siding	79	Do. 8.34	"	1.45
De. 11.53				Nanaimo		Ar. 8.25	Do.	1.30
Ar. 12.14	Ar.	6.00	78	Wellington	5	Do. 8.10	Do.	1.30
P.M.		P.M.				A.M.		P.M.

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days including day of issue.

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9.15 pm	28	..... Seattle.....	82	1.45 pm
12.30 am	72	. Port Townsend .	38	10.30 am
3.30 am	110	Ar †...Victoria.... Lv	M	7.30 am

Steamer City of Kingston makes connection at Tacoma with Northern Pacific trains to and from points east and south.
* Daily except Sunday.
† Daily except Monday.

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REMOVAL NOTICE.

Yee Yick Co. have removed from 14 Cormorant street to 27. Business will be carried on as before, and after this day all cheques, receipts and orders will be signed by me.

MAR CHAN, Manager.

Victoria, Jan. 5, 1894. ja6-1m

C.P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 22

Takes effect November 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Oct. 31st, 1893.

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Dominion Line.....Vancouver.....Feb. 10
Dominion Line.....Oregon.....Feb. 24
Beaver Line.....Lake Winnipeg.....Jan. 31
Beaver Line.....Lake Ontario.....Feb. 14

FROM NEW YORK.

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Cunard Line.....Umbria.....Feb. 10
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White Star Line...Germanic.....Jan. 31
American Line.....Paris.....Jan. 31
American Line.....Berlin.....Feb. 7
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Anchor Line.....Ethiopia.....Feb. 3
Anchor Line.....Anchoria.....Feb. 1

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" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

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E. A. WILMOT, City Engineer.

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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 1894.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, January 21, 1894.

Sun rises..... 7:12 a.m. | Sun sets..... 4:41 p m.
Moon rises... 4:16 p.m. | Moon sets... 7:10 a.m.
Day of the year—21st.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Jan. 20, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	31°	Mean 32°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	29°		
9 a. m..	31°	Highest 37°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	37°		1 p.m.—8 N.
5 p. m..	31°	Lowest 28°	9 p.m.—10 N.
9 p. m..	32°		Rain—

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine, 4 hrs. 42 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

BRITISH COLUMBIA WEATHER.

CLINTON, Jan. 20.—(Special)—Weather clear to cloudy; thermometer, 28 above; barometer, 28.6; two inches of fresh snow since yesterday.

KAMLOOPS, Jan. 20.—(Special)—Clear, light south-east wind; thermometer, 40.

PASSENGERS.

Per s.s. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—James Wright, M A McTaggert, O H Simon, J B Taylor, E H Wells, J Rhinehart, F J Williams, M Cudahy, Mrs Whittle, Mrs Sherran, Mrs Wilson, Mrs Watson, J B King, Chas Stuart, Jas Baker, Miss Richards, Chas Westrofer.

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DIED.

SCOTT—At Jubilee Hospital, on January 18th, 1894, Wm. Scott, aged 32 years, a native of Lang Bank, Renfrewshire; came to Victoria in 1882.

The funeral will take place to-day at 2 p.m. from St. Andrew's and Caledonian Hall, Blanchard street.

PERSONAL.

James Wright, of Tacoma, is stopping at the New England.

James H. Davidson is among the guests at the New England.

T. S. Futcher came down on yesterday's train from Nanaimo.

S. Maxwell is down from Salt Spring Island, and is registered at the Oriental.

Dr. Milne, M P.P., and H. J. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder Co., returned from the Mainland yesterday evening.

J. H. Innes, until recently naval storekeeper at Esquimalt, left for England yesterday with Mrs. and Master Innes. Mr. Sidney Dobbin will be in charge until the new appointee arrives.

John Wooldridge, the consulting engineer of the Canadian-Australian steamship company, is paying a visit in America. He came over to San Francisco by the Miowera.

The Windsor Hotel, Nanaimo. The Cuisine is excellent. 1m

"Lost on Lake Ontario."

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 20.—About October 15 the schooner Riverside foundered on Lake Ontario, and seven lives were lost, four of the victims being from South Bay, near here. Mrs. Jane Farrington, mother of the captain, has just received a prayer from the deep. It was picked up near Ashtabula, Ohio, and forwarded to her. It is a few lines written on an old envelope and placed in a bottle. The message reads: "October 14, 1893—Please send to Mrs. Jane Farrington, South Bay, Canada, Ontario. We are lost on Lake Ontario. Take care of baby." The note was signed "Ameritta Farrington," wife of the captain. The baby is a boy of nine years of age, and is now with his grandmother, Mrs. Jane Farrington.

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FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

Abolition of Hawaiian Monarchy to Be Celebrated—Increase in Treasury Balances.

Steven's Message Before U. S. Senate Committee—Denies He Promised to Land Troops.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Private advices received from Honolulu say that the correspondence still continues between President Dole and Minister Willis. As to the latter's menacing attitude, Minister Willis' last letter made complaint of the allegation as offensive and disparaging to his Government, and demanded specifications and evidence. To this the President responded that there will be an extended statement, reciting all the ways in which the community and the Government were systematically caused to believe, especially after the arrival of the Corwin, that the Minister was about to land the naval forces to restore the Queen. His repeated refusal to say anything to remove this belief increased the uncertainty. President Dole recounts the evils of this distressing state of anxiety and alarm, and injury to business and to the credit and authority of the Government. The correspondence will probably soon be given to the Honolulu public.

The coming 17th of January is the first anniversary of the abolition of the Hawaiian monarchy. There was a strong movement to have it declared a Government holiday, which the planters oppose as interfering with their labor in the busy season. The military quartered in the Judiciary building are preparing it for an illumination by Japanese lanterns. The coincidence has been discovered that precisely a century ago in 1793 Louis XVI. of France was condemned to the guillotine. The Government ultimately ordered the 17th to be a holiday.

In an interview yesterday with one of the foremost men in Hawaii, he said in substance, "The bulldozing by the United States is infamous. It is time for us to assert ourselves. Pearl harbor is ours and is the great and coveted prize of the Pacific. Let us give the United States the required year's notice to end the treaty and enter negotiation with England to lease Pearl harbor for ninety-nine years. If, in the meantime, the American Government prove disposed to meet us resonably, we shall prefer political union with them, if not, let us go to England and make her the mistress of the North Pacific. It is time for us to assert our manhood and put an end to this insolence."

The planters have asked the Government for permission to introduce a limited number of Chinese laborers. The Council voted yesterday to grant their request. The reasons given by the planters are that further shipments from Japan are likely to be postponed until certain questions are settled between the two governments, and that Japanese alone on large estates are likely to become exacting and quarrelsome. During 1894 and 1895 about 9,000 labor contracts will expire and their places need to be supplied. During the past week the available cash balance in the treasury has increased from $227,995 54 to $278,379 18. This increase was mainly due to the receipt of taxes of $36,000, from the sales of bonds $5,000, the first bonds sold since the Corwin week of terror.

Walter G. Smith, of the Star, continues to be earnestly pushed by the annexationists to fill the next vacancy in the advisory council. His opponents have secured a vote of the directors of the Star company, disapproving of his candidacy, as likely to interfere with his editorial usefulness. The Annexation club is the name of a representative body supporting the Government, and its recommendation will carry great weight. Smith is personally popular. J. B. Atherton is put forward by the sugar interests, who feel themselves too little represented in the council. Should the new constitution soon be proclaimed, Mr. Smith may prefer to run for the new Senate.

The Bulletin (Royalist) forcibly reprehends the Advertiser and the Star for attacking Mr. Theo. H. Davies with a quantity of coarse ridicule and sarcasm on account of an open letter to the editor of the Friend, in which he censures the latter for maligning him behind his back in the columns of the New York Independent three months ago. Mr. Davies betrayed an irritation not usual with him. By a tone of moral superiority he probably provokes rougher treatment than he would otherwise receive.

The Advertiser to-day wrote "a good word for Mr. Willis" in a strain of covert sarcasm on account of his recent course.

The matter of the removal from office of known Royalists is still a live issue. Attorney-General Smith, who has always expressed to the Advisory Council the views of the Executive body on removals from office, said this morning: "We have quite a quantity of evidence touching many cases. Nothing has as yet been finally decided upon." It is expected there will be developments during the week. The cause of the recent delay has been the illness of President Dole. According to a correspondent in Hamakua some of the office holders of that distict have lately been holding a feast in honor of the anticipated return of Liliuokalani to the throne. This feast, it is alleged, was held on the very day when these loyal servants of the Provisional Government supposed the restoration to be actually in process of accomplishment. These facts have been brought to the notice of the authorities, and they will probably be investigated at once.

A number of young men are seriously considering the project of engaging in a co-operative sealing expedition. It is proposed to charter one of the several available schooners in port, get an outfit from local houses and descend upon the Japanese rockies.

The steamer Australia sailed for Honolulu this afternoon, carrying it is stated, further instructions to Minister Willis. The vessel took down no passengers of prominence.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—There has been much speculation as to the contents of the message from Minister Stevens to the State department, withheld by the President on the ground of public policy. It is understood Mr. Stevens gave this letter to the committee, and that it related to the attitude of the English minister, Major Wodehouse, in connection with affairs in the Hawaiian Islands, and his relations with the court of the deposed Queen. Mr. Wodehouse's son is the husband of a half sister of Princess Kaiulani, who is heir apparent of the Hawaiian throne. Mr. Stevens said he never heard of an authority equal to that of Commissioner Blount in the matter of commanding the naval officer on duty at Honolulu.

He defended his own acts by quoting in justification the instructions issued by Secretary Marcy and Mr. Bayard. He had landed the troops simply to protect property; even the deposed Queen did not take a contrary view, and the 22 hours after the landing of the marines requested that they be used in her behalf. With regard to the witness's reply to the request of the committee of safety to land troops, which could not be found on file, Mr. Stevens said there was no reply, and that he intended to land the troops anyhow. He declared that Mr. Blount's statement that he (Stevens) had promised to assist the committee by landing troops was false.

Mr. Stevens also denied the statement in Mr Blount's report, that he (Stevens) had previously refused the request of the Provisional Government for the landing of an armed force for drilling purposes, adding that such request was never made. Mr. Stevens went through Mr Blount's report quite thoroughly, making remarks here and there.

It was said by Mr. Stevens that the British minister was favorable to the deposition of the Queen, but was equally desirous that Kaiulani should succeed her. The methods used in disseminating this idea among the people and the part played by the British minister are said to have been interesting features in the evidence given by Mr. Stevens, who said with regard to the character of the Queen and Court that if all reports were true it was very immoral; he also gave in detail events leading to the revolution.

The President to-day laid before Congress another batch of Hawaiian correspondence, which includes the spicy correspondence between Minister Willis and President Dole, in which the latter reproaches the Minister with his unfriendly course, and being asked afterwards by Mr. Willis to withdraw these imputations, declines to withdraw any of the letters. Then Mr. Willis wrote back asking specifications, and he says: Up to this hour (Friday, January 5) no reply had been received to this request, nor have I any intimation when one may be expected. My request for specification has been in the hands of the Minister of Foreign Affairs since Monday, January 1, at 6 o'clock, and I hoped to receive it in time to answer by the steamer Peking, leaving to-day at 2 o'clock, especially as Messrs. Thurston and Hatch, late Vice-President of the Provisional Government, leave to-morrow on the Australia for the United States. This delay in answering is the cause of a great deal of surprise and regret.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The "Wolcott's" Mission to the West Coast—Passengers for Victoria.

Pacific Coast Record Broken—The "Arawa's" Lists—To try Whaling.

Under instructions from the Treasury department at Washington, the U. S. revenue cutter Wolcott, in command of Capt. Roath, will start to-day on a cruise along the West Coast in search of the missing Alaska sealing schooner Mary Brown. The latter, on the 3rd of October last, left Sand Point for Victoria with Capt. Brown, her owner and master, James L. O'Brien, a member of the Lynde-Hough Commercial Co., Capt. Gaffney and six or seven others whose names have not yet been ascertained. The Wolcott would have left yesterday on her important mission, but as Capt. Roath is not very well acquainted with the Northern and Western Coast he secured Capt. Brown of this city to accompany him, and the latter could not leave before to-day. Capt. Roath somewhat dreads his trip along what he calls the "graveyard coast." He says his steamer is old and her boilers are not in the best of condition. Besides, at this time of year, the weather will make his trip a dangerous one. In regard to his cruise, he proposes to hug the shore line of Vancouver Island very close as far North as Cape Scott. He will make vigorous inquiries of the Indians all along the Coast, and after satisfying himself whether there are any traces of the Mary Brown to be found en route, will return and report to the authorities at Washington. Just how long the cruise will last is not known; stress of weather may prolong it considerably, but in all probability the steamer will be absent at least a fortnight. She will not go further north than the end of the Island. The cruise is being made in the interest of Capt. Brown and his companions, acquaintances in California having petitioned the American Government to send out a steamer in search of the missing.

THE RECORD BROKEN.

The British ship Drumrock, 3,010 tons, which arrived in Tacoma on Friday evening, has broken the sailing record on the Pacific Coast. She made the trip between San Francisco and Tacoma in exactly five days, six hours and fifteen minutes. Capt. Freeman, who piloted the ship out of San Francisco, was obliged to make the whole voyage on her, as the heavy gale which was blowing on the Pacific, Sunday, prevented his pilot boat from reaching the Drumrock to take him off. The Drumrock is said to be largest vessel ever on Puget Sound. She is to load 5,000 tons of wheat at Tacoma for Europe.

THE "ARAWA" EN ROUTE.

Advices from Sydney, Australia, say that the steamship Arawa, which sailed thence Thursday, on her second trip to British Columbia, has on board a good freight, which will be materially enlarged at Suva and Honolulu en route. She also has fifty passengers.

COMING TO VICTORIA.

The steamship Walla Walla, due from San Francisco to-morrow evening, has the following cabin passengers for Victoria: Miss S. A. Robinson, T. Alexander and wife, Miss Bara, Miss Moltem, Rev. D. S. Eley, Miss May Clinton and Mrs. Cook.

MARINE NOTES.

Those who visited the San Pedro wreck yesterday report the vessel to have been badly damaged from the recent gales. The shear stroke is cracked about amidships, and a plate three or four feet below is similarly fixed. The vessel is said to be in such a shaky condition that another heavy gale will complete the work of destruction.

The San Mateo arrived at Union last Sunday morning to load coal cargo for San Monaco, Cal. The was immediately placed under the chutes, and the loading was completed Wednesday, when she sailed for the South. The steamers Thistle and Tepic also loaded and left the following day.

Clark's ways are now partially occupied by the hull of the old steamer Pilot, which was placed on the blocks yesterday morning to be converted into a barge for freighting purposes.

Schooner Beatrice left on her sealing cruise yesterday.

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DOINGS IN BRAZIL.

DaGama Repels a Government Attack—Governor of Fort Santa Cruz Removed.

Mello Deposed for Failing to Aid Insurgents in the Bay of Rio.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A dispatch received from Rio Janeiro last evening says President Peixoto has removed the commander of Fort Santa Cruz for allowing two insurgent torpedo boats to re-enter the bay and permitting a quantity of sanitary stores and arms to reach the insurgents. Admiral da Gama re-inforced the garrison on Conceicao Island, and afterwards repulsed a hot Government attack, killing 120 and wounding large numbers. Da Gama has occupied and strongly fortified a position commanding the railway to Petropolis and the Nictheroy gas works. Mercantile circles are alarmed. Bank notes issued by the Empire and believed to have been destroyed have now reappeared.

RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 20.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs, acting on behalf of President Peixoto, authorizes the representative of the United Press to send the following: "It is stated by the insurgents that Admiral Mello has been deposed from his position as leader of the forces operating against the Government, because he failed to bring troops from the south to aid the insurgents in the bay in making their proposed land movements. It is added that Admiral Mello is now on the insurgent warship Republica simply as a private citizen. The Republica is in Paranagua Bay. Everything is quiet in Rio Janeiro.

A DESPATCH received yesterday from Ottawa states that the proposed expedition from Winnipeg and Vancouver having been brought to the attention of the Militia Department through the press despatches, Major-General Herbert looks for a report upon the subject from Lt.-Col. Peters, D. A. G. The latter officer being interviewed on the subject, said he had at present no information beyond that which has appeared in the COLONIST, but it is his intention to gather what facts he can in order to make an official report as desired. It is not thought that the military authorities can take any action in the matter, as there is nothing in contemplation which would bring those interesting themselves in the movement in conflict with the neutrality laws, and if the marching orders arrive as expected by return mail from Honolulu, it is altogether probable that the party will proceed with their transportation arrangements. The Provisional Government authorities at Honolulu would, it is thought, be quite powerless to interfere with them landing anywhere a few miles distant from the town, and to prevent their entrance into Honolulu once they got a footing on the Island. It is not expected that the troops from the warships in the harbor would interfere in any struggle between the Royalists and the men at present holding office by virtue of possession, so long as the rights of neutral parties are not affected.

The Russian steamer Alexander, which made a venture as a steam sealer last year, is now being refitted for a whaler. As soon as her preparations are complete she will be sent into the Arctic to winter.

George W. Childs Improving.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—The condition of Mr. George W. Childs continues favorable, and last night his physicians reported him as much improved. Many telegrams from different parts of the country have been received at the Ledger office from prominent men, seeking information regarding Mr. Childs' condition, and expressing their sympathy for him in his illness.

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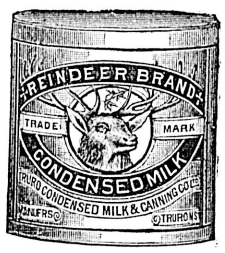

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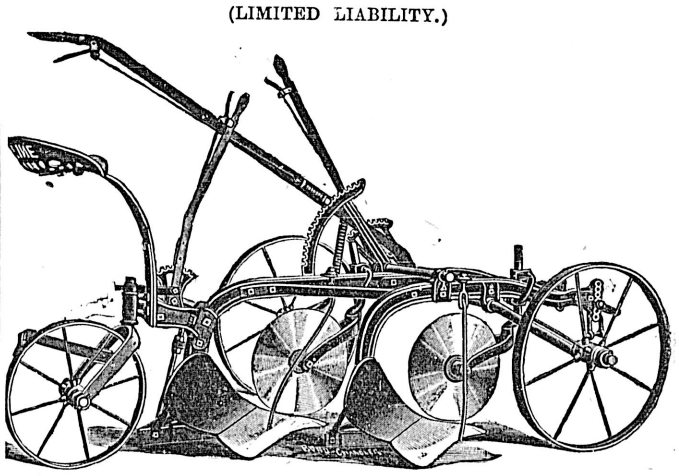

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